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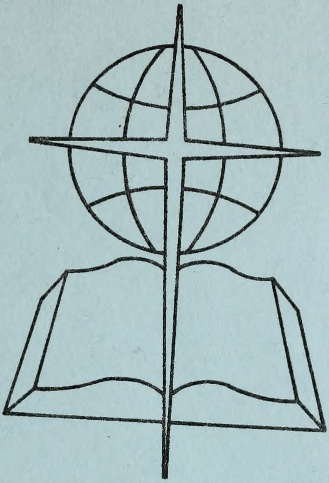

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Associational Emphasis Week

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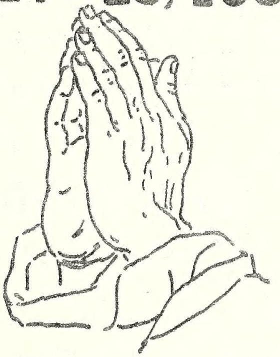

". . . with one mind striving together for the faith of the Gospel . . ."
– Phil. 1:27

The Association:

Churches
In Fellowship
On Mission
In Their Setting

An Association Is . . .

A fellowship of Baptist churches working and ministering together as a collective body to accomplish together that which we cannot do apart for the cause of Christ and people.

You Can Support Associational Missions

1. You can pray.
2. You can participate in associational meetings.
3. You can serve the Lord in the association when called upon.
4. You can share in the financial support of the association as your church gives the suggested amount to Associational Missions.

Suggested Daily Prayer Guide for the Week

Sunday	Pray for a closer fellowship among the churches of your Association.
Monday	Pray that the Association will be able to help the churches fulfill their tasks.
Tuesday	Pray for Associational leaders of Sunday School, Church Training, and Church Music.
Wednesday	Pray for Associational leaders in Brotherhood, and Woman's Missionary Union.
Thursday	Pray for your Superintendent of Missions, Moderator, Treasurer, Clerk, other officers and committee members.
Friday	Pray that God may use your life for service through Associational Missions.

KEY LEADERSHIP —

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CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

PREAMBLE

We, the messengers of Baptist Churches of Columbus County, do hereby propose to establish and maintain the order and rules of a District Association in conformity to the following plan:

ARTICLE I. NAME

This organization shall be known as the Columbus Baptist Association.

ARTICLE II. OBJECTIVES

The objectives of the Association shall be to elicit, combine, and direct the energies of Columbus Baptists in advancing the Redeemer's Kingdom throughout the earth, more especially along the lines recommended and adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention, the North Carolina Baptist State Convention, and the Association itself, to promote the fellowship and good-will among the Churches; and to devise and promote measures for increasing the harmony, intelligence and spiritual powers of the churches.

ARTICLE III. MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. This Association shall be composed of regularly constituted Baptist Churches in Columbus County that shall be represented at its regular or special meetings by duly elected messengers in the following ratio: (1) Three (3) for the first one hundred members or fraction thereof, and one for each fifty additional members, but provided that no church may have more than 10 messengers. (2) All ordained ministers who are serving as pastor within the Association, Associational Officers and Committee members.

Section 2. Messengers shall be members in good standing with the church they represent, and their names must appear on the letter from their church to the Association to entitle them to be seated as messengers.

Section 3. The Association shall be sole judge of its membership, and may reject or receive churches applying for membership therein at its pleasure, provided that the churches so received shall come under the watchcare of the Association for a period of one year. During this period such church or churches shall be entitled to all the rights and privileges of the Association except that of their members voted or holding office. At the conclusion of this period, should no valid objection be raised, they then become members in regular standing by action of the Association.

Section 4. The Association shall encourage the organizing of new Baptist Churches within Columbus County under the leadership of any pastor, Church, Churches, or interested persons of the Association. If a new church contemplates being received into the fellowship of the Association after its organization, those who are to compose its charter membership and those leading in its organization are urged to seek the counsel of the Executive Promotion Committee and shall proceed with the organization only after approval is given.

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Section 5. A Church seeking admission into the Association shall present its application to the Credentials Committee, and furnish the Committee with such information as it may require about the Church. The Committee may then recommend that such Church be received under the watchcare of the Association for the period of one year from the date of that Associational Meeting.

Section 6. The Association may at any time dissolve connection with any church that becomes disorderly in practice or that fails to represent itself either by messengers or letter for two consecutive sessions without sufficient reason, or that ceases to be missionary in practice. The support of the causes fostered by the denomination at large and of this Association in particular shall be the test of each church as missionary body.

Section 7. The New Testament shall be accepted as the sole guide in matters of doctrine and practice, and the Association shall reserve the right to withdraw fellowship from any church that does not conform thereto.

ARTICLE IV. POWERS AND PREROGATIVES

The Association shall have no power whatsoever to infringe upon the right of the churches. It may advise or recommend measures to usefulness for their adoption and guidance, but cannot bind them in any way. All the churches constituting the Association remain sovereign and independent bodies and unite only that they may more effectively promote the causes of Christ throughout the world.

ARTICLE V. DUTIES OF CHURCHES

It shall be the duty of each church to appoint messengers, to insist upon their attendance at Associational meetings, to contribute toward the expense of the Association, and to send annually a report to the Association which gives information requested in forms provided by the Associational Clerk.

ARTICLE VI. ORGANIZATION

Section 1. The general officers shall be a Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian and Three Trustees.

Section 2. Additional Officers shall be the Associational Director of Sunday School, Church Training Director, W.M.U. Director, Brotherhood Director, Music Director, Library Director, Chairman of Evangelism, and others as needed, including a full slate of organizational officers as recommended by the Educational Division of the Baptist Sunday School Board.

Section 3. The nominating committee shall recommend the officers to the Association. However, the Association reserves the right to make other nominations for any and all offices and committees.

Section 4. The offices of Clerk and Treasurer may be held by the same person.

Section 5. The General Officers and additional officers as specified in Section 2 of this Article shall be elected at the Spring Session and shall be installed and assume their duties at the close of the Fall Session of the current year and continue their duties until their successors are installed at the next fall session unless removed for cause, or until their successors are appointed.

Section 6. The term of office for Moderator and Vice-Moderator shall not exceed two years in succession. All other officers may be re-elected to succeed themselves in office at the pleasure of the Association.

Section 7. All officers and committees shall be members of churches affiliated with the Association.

Section 8. The term of office for all members of committees shall be for three (3) years and they shall serve so that one-third shall rotate off each year.

Section 9. Vacancies in these offices or committees that may occur between the annual sessions of the Association, shall be filled for the remainder of the Associational year by the Executive Promotion Committee.

ARTICLE VII. DUTIES OF OFFICERS

Section 1. It shall be the duty of the Moderator to preside when the Association is in session; and serve as chairman of the Executive Promotion Committee. The Moderator shall also appoint a five member Committee on Committees within ten (10) days after the Annual Meeting of the Association.

Section 2. It shall be the duty of the Vice-Moderator to preside in the absence of the Moderator and to assist him in every way possible, and to succeed to the office of Moderator if and when during his tenure the office of Moderator becomes vacant.

Section 3. It shall be the duty of the Clerk to keep an accurate record of the meetings of the Association and prepare minutes to be distributed as soon thereafter as possible. He shall serve as secretary of the Executive Promotion Committee.

Section 4. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to keep an accurate record of the money paid into his hands, pay all bills as they become dur, and to make an annual report to the Association. He shall make a written report of the financial condition of the Associational Council and provide written reports to the Executive Promotion Committee when requested. He shall make a monthly report to the Associational office. He shall be a member of the Finance Committee.

Section 5. It shall be the duty of the Historian to collect minutes of each session of the Association and have these bound into book form every ten (10) years, and to assist in any way possible in keeping records of the history of the Association. He shall submit a short history of two (2) different churches at each annual meeting, to be incorporated into the Associational minutes each year until all churches have a written history in the minutes. The churches shall be taken in alphabetical order: any new church coming in shall be put at the bottom of the list.

Section 6. It shall be the duty of the Associational Director of Sunday School, Church Training Director, W.M.U. Director, Music Director, Brotherhood Director and Library Director to lead in the promotion of the activities of the organization of which he or she is head, and to preside over the meetings of the organization. These officers shall bring a report of their work to each quarterly meeting of the Associational Council.

Section 7. It shall be the duty of the Trustees to hold in trust all property of the Association.

Section 8. All reports, both Associational and Denominational, shall not exceed 300 words, except the Treasurer's Report and the Director of Missions.

ARTICLE VIII. RULES OF ORDER

Section 1. All business shall be conducted and all discussions carried on in the manner prescribed in "Robert's Rules of Order Revised."

Section 2. The method of voting shall be by show of hands, or by the will of the body.

Section 3. The simple majority shall prevail in all cases, except as otherwise provided in this Constitution, provided that any member may at any time call for a written ballot or roll call of doubtful issues.

Section 4. A ruling by the presiding officer shall be final unless appeal be had from such ruling to the entire body present.

Section 5. A question having been decided twice by vote in the same attitude at a regular session of the Association shall not be reintroduced except by consent of the body, as expressed by a majority vote.

Section 6. At least one-fifth of the messengers enrolled shall be necessary to constitute a quorum.

ARTICLE IX. TIME OF MEETING

Section 1. The Association shall hold its annual meeting on Tuesday before the 4th Sunday in October and a Spring Inspirational Meeting on Tuesday before the 4th Sunday in April. However, in the case of some unavoidable circumstances that makes a change in the date of the annual meeting necessary, either the Associational Council of the Executive Promotion Committee, preferably the Executive Promotion Committee, shall have the authority to change said date provided at lease two (2) weeks in advance of the new date for the annual meeting.

Section 2. In the event of some emergency that makes a call meeting of the Association necessary, either the Associational Council, or the Executive Promotion Committee shall have the authority to call for a special meeting of the Association, provided that a notice of the time and place and purpose of such a call meeting shall be mailed to the Pastors and Clerks of the Churches of the Association at least two (2) weeks in advance of the time set for the call meeting.

ARTICLE X. THE ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR

The Associational year shall begin the first of October and close the last of the following September.

ARTICLE XI. THE EXECUTIVE PROMOTION COMMITTEE

Section 1. The Executive Promotion Committee shall be composed of the Pastor of each church in the association, the two (2) members (either men or women) represented by each church in the Association on the church letter, and the following Associational officers: Associational Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, W.M.U. Director, Brotherhood Director, Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian, Music Director, Library Director, and Chairmen of all standing committees.

Section 2. It shall act for the Association in the interim between the annual sessions.

Section 3. The duty of this committee shall be to carry out the policies and will of the Association. It shall not take any action contravening the will of the Association; nor shall it initiate any new policies or practices binding on the Association, unless specifically do directed, provided: That in an adequate emergency it may take such action as it may deem necessary, but such action shall in every case be submitted to the next meeting of the Association for appropriate consideration. It shall make a full and complete report of its activities at the next Associational meeting. It shall meet quarterly and as oten thereafter as is necessary to carry out the policies and will of the Association. A meeting of this committee may be called at any time by the chairman, and it shall be his duty to call a meeting upon the request of any five (5) members of this committee.

ARTICLE XII. ASSOCIATIONAL COUNCIL

Section 1. The Association shall have an Associational Council composed of the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Church Training Director, Sunday School Director, W.M.U. Director, Brotherhood Director, Music Director, Library Director, Chairman of Finance, Evangelism and Missions Committees.

Section 2. The Vice-Moderator shall be chairman of this Council.

Section 3. This committee shall counsel and advise any committee or church in the Columbus Baptist Association on any subject which has been submitted to it.

Section 4. This committee shall meet prior to the regular meeting of the Executive Promotion Committee. The chairman of this committee shall bring to each meeting of the Executive Promotion Committee a report of its work.

Section 5. This committee is responsible for the supervision of the work of the Director of Missions and shall study carefully the program of work for the entire Association and the needs of all the churches. In the light of this study, the committee shall work out an annual Calendar of Activities for the Association to be presented to the Executive Promotion Committee, to run concurrently with the Calendar year.

ARTICLE XIII. STANDING COMMITTEES AND DUTIES

Section 1. Committee on Committees - This committee shall be composed of five (5) members which said members shall come from different churches within the association.

(a) It shall be the duty of this committee to present at the annual meeting of the association when called upon by the Moderator, a nomination for the membership of all standing committees of the association unless otherwise provided in this constitution.

Section 2. Nominating Committee - The Nominating Committee shall be composed of at least five (5) members. The Nominating Committee shall nominate all officers proposed by the constitution. After they are nominated the Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, W.M.U. Director, Music Director, Baptist Men's Director and Librarian shall enlist and propose a full slate of organizational leaders to the Nominating Committee. After the Nominating Committee makes its report to the Association, other nominations shall be in order from the floor.

Section 3. Program Committee - The duty of this committee is to plan the program for the annual meeting of the Association and bring it to the Executive Promotion Committee for discussion and approval. The committee should begin its work well in advance of the meeting of the Association and should make sure that those requested to make reports are prepared and on hand. Copies of the program should be prepared and distributed to the messengers and visitors at the Associational Meeting.

Section 4. Finance Committee - This committee should keep a close watch on the needs of the Association for an adequate budget and for a well-balanced program of work and should be prepared to bring to the Association in Annual Session a proposed budget. This committee should also be prepared to advise with the Treasurer of the Association during the year concerning the items in the budget to the end that the Association may be kep in a healthy financial condition. It shall be the duty of the committee to see that an audit of the Treasurer's books be made following the close of the Associational year and presented to each Annual Meeting of the Association.

Section 5. Credentials Committee -

a. It shall be the work of this committee to make a proper investigation of churches that express a desire to affiliate with the Association concerning their being orthodox in faith and cooperative in spirit, to report to the Association in annual session their findings and recommendations concerning the acceptance or rejection of such churches.

b. If invited this committee shall go to any church for the purpose of edifying Christian fellowship.

Section 6. Committee on Ordination.

a. This committee shall consist of three (3) ordained ministers presently serving as pastors in the Association and two (2) ordained deacons.

b. This committee shall serve only in an advisory capacity and, when invited by a church in the Association, shall assist in the examination, preparation and ordination of candidates for the gospel ministry.

Section 7. Committee on Evangelism - This committee should seek to keep alive the fires of evangelism in all the meetings of all the organizations of the Association, encourage evangelistic services in churches not reporting baptisms and help provide evangelistic services in unchurched sections within the bounds of the Association, to organize and promote the Simultaneous Revivals, and to promote any County-wide Evangelistic services. This committee shall be organized in accordance with the suggested Southern Baptist Program of Evangelism.

Section 8. Missions Committee. This committee shall keep alert to any development that may make a new church or branch Sunday School necessary, advise with groups considering a new church or branch Sunday School about the necessity of such organization, assist in organizing new churches, and seek to encourage the best location possible when new churches are formed. This committee shall also, when invited by the Vacation Bible School Director, or the Director of Missions, assist in promoting and maintaining Vacation Bible School wherever needed in the Association. It shall encourage pastorless, part-time churches to form fields, with pastors located as near the center as possible; assist churches when called upon or when there is an evident need, when such is welcomed, to find most suitable pastors, and to serve as contact man for worthy men desiring to become pastors.

Section 9. Committee on Denominational Agencies - This committee shall consist of one person representing each of the following: Cooperative Program, Baptist Hospital, Children's Homes, Denominational Literature, Homes for the Aging, Baptist Colleges, Ministers' Retirement: and any other cause, agency, or institution deemed advisable. It shall be the responsibility of each of these to see that the interests of these causes and agencies are kept before the Association and churches at all times, and that proper report concerning the progress and needs of these causes and agencies are presented to the Associational meetings.

Section 10. Committee on Libraries - It shall be the duty of this committee to plan and promote church library work in the Association. It should encourage each church without a library to start one, and help in stabilizing those already in operation. The committee should assist churches in starting their libraries and help them in organizing their library committee. The committee should also plan and promote a program of training for all church libraries.

Section 11. Constitutional Committee - It shall be the duty of the committee to study the Constitution of our Association, and to recommend to the Association at its annual session such changes, amendments or revisions as may be deemed necessary and appropriate in accordance with the needs of the Columbus Baptist Association.

Section 12. Resolutions Committee - It shall be the duty of this committee to prepare and present to the Association at its annual session, such resolutions and other reports as may be appropriate and in order for consideration by the Association.

Section 13. Time, Place and Preacher Committee - It shall be the duty of this committee to plan and prepare for the annual session of the Columbus Baptist Association, and to secure a preacher and alternate preacher for the first day of the annual session, and to do such other acts and things as may be necessary to provide the proper facilities for such annual meetings of the Columbus Baptist Association.

Section 14. Christian Social Ministries - The work of this committee is to create an awareness in the Baptist churches of Columbus Baptist Association of the teachings and ministries of Jesus Christ in attempting to meet the needs of the total person in light of the Gospel. Workshops will be held to point out needs of persons and possible ways in which we may become involved to meet those needs.

Section 15. Christian Life - The work of the Christian Life Council is to be alert and call to the attention of the association any encroachment upon our religious freedom. Working through its chairman it shall report at each Executive Committee meeting any matter that appears to be contradiction to our belief.

Section 16. Deacon Representative - The Deacon Representative shall be responsible for seeing that at least one training session (workshop or retreat) shall be conducted for deacons from across the association during each associational year.

Section 17. Energy Consultant - The Energy Consultant will prepare himself to the extent that he will stand ready to make suggestions on how a church may conserve energy.

ARTICLE XIV. REVISION

This Constitution may be immediately revised at any regular session of the Association by a two-thirds vote of the messengers present, provided notice of such revision shall be given in the afternoon session and then voted on in the evening session.

GUIDELINES FOR THE
DIRECTOR OF ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS

I. EMPLOYMENT

A. HOW EMPLOYED

1. The association employs its Director upon the recommendation of the Associational Council, and by vote of the association in the annual session or by the Executive Committee between session.

B. TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT

1. The Director is employed for an indefinite period of time. The association or the Executive Committe may terminate the service of the Director by vote, provided that sixty (60) days notice has been given before services are terminated. The missionary may terminate his services, provide sixty (60) days notice is given. By agreement of the Director and the Executive Committee the sixty (60) days notice may not be required.
2. Salary for the Director shall be paid as stated in the budget of the association.
3. Retirement for the Director is provided by the association by paying an amount equal to 10% of his salary for retirement funds.
4. A housing allowance, a travel allowance, and convention and conference allowances are provided as stated in the budget.
5. The Director is allowed two (2) weeks of vacation time, annually to be taken at his discretion. Vacation time may not be accumulated.
6. The Director may hold two (2) weeks of revivals each year, exclusive of vacation time, for which he may keep any honorarium given.
7. The Director shall be allowed sick leave with pay for a period of two (2) weeks annually, the total credit this accumulated not to exceed forty-four (44) business days. Should illness exceed the accumulated sick leave time, the vacation time may be added to cover additional days.
8. The Director will establish and maintain office hours enabling the public to contact him at the prescribed hours.
9. The "Normal work week will be five (5) days. The Director will arrange with the Associational Council as to his 'day off' and holidays."

II. RELATIONSHIPS

A. TO THE ASSOCIATION

1. The Director is responsible to the Associational Council as prescribed by Article XII, Section 5 of the Constitution.
2. The Director recognizes the moderator as the chief officers of the association and works in close cooperation with him.
3. The Director counsels with the Associational Council in all matters that relate to his work. This committee is responsible in all budget matters that relate to the living provisions and office arrangements of the Director.
4. The Director shall promote the work of the association cooperating with the churches, their pastors and officers, and the associational committees and officers.
5. The Director of Missions shall make a report to the Associational Council and to the Executive Committee at their meetings.

B. TO THE CHURCHES

1. The Director may work in the churches upon invitation and as he deems wise.

2. The Director works with the churches only through, or with full consent of the pastors.

3. The Director counsels with individuals from churches upon their request concerning individual matters or matters of church program, and may give information to these individuals, provided he does not assume the role of pastor to the individual or in any way threatens to impar the relationship of the individual to his pastor.

4. The Director leads and guides the officers of the association in planning training events and other programs designed to strengthen the work of the churches. The churches are free to avail themselves to these opportunities as they will.

C. TO THE DENOMINATION

1. The Director keeps himself informed about the work of the conventions and their agencies, and presents this information to the pastors, Associational churches, and individuals as he has opportunity.

2. The Director interprets the work of the denomination in the association and engages the churches to support the work of the denomination with prayers, personal lives, and finances.

III. THE WORK OF THE DIRECTOR

A. ADMINISTRATION

1. The Director is the chief administrative (promotional) officers of the Association. He carries out the programs of the association as directed by the association or the Associational Council.

2. Other employees of the association are responsible to the Director in all matters in which their work relates to the association.

3. The Director as chief administrative (promotional) officer is responsible for evaluation of all programs, and seeking to counsel with the association concerning their effectiveness, and make proposals as to strengthening or improving the programs.

B. MISSION WORK

1. In cooperation with the Missions Committee, the Director will seek out places of missions need, and seek to enlist an appropriate church to meet these needs.

2. In the event no church can be enlisted to meet these needs, upon the instruction of the Missions Committee, the Director may lead in a program to meet the need in the name of the association.

C. OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES

1. The Director works in close cooperation with the officers of the association, lending assistance as needed.

2. The Director is an ex-officio member of all committees of the association.

D. PROMOTION

1. The Director shall promote the whole program of the association, the Baptist State Convention, and the Southern Baptist Convention.

E. THE OFFICE

1. The office is maintained by the association for the use of the Director and the necessary staff.

2. The Director is responsible for the operation of the office with guidance as necessary from the Associational Council.

3. He offers counsel and guidance to other office personnel as needed.

4. He keeps on hand needed free materials for churches and members.

5. He prepares calendars, booklets, and letters as needed to carry out the duties of his office.

6. He shall mail out a monthly newsletter.

7. He collects periodicals and materials of value for an associational library.

8. He purchases and provides suggestions for the purchase of audio-visual equipment and materials for loan to churches.

9. He is the chief public relations officers of the association, both through the church and through the usual communication media.

10. He may add other duties and responsibilities as directed by the association or the Associational Council and Executive Committee.

GUIDELINES FOR OFFICE ASSISTANT

She is responsible for all office equipment as to assigning out and checking in. Also to its condition when it is received back into the office. Also, to be acquainted with the operation of each piece of equipment and its operation. That she maintain the office as to the cleanliness thereof. The Committee recommended that all work by the Office Assistant not related to associational work, be paid for according to her time involved at the same rate she is paid by the Columbus Baptist Association. Also this money rendered for services during office hours to toward office expense and maintenance. In all cases associational work take preference over outside work during regular office hours. That the office equipment be used only by the office employees or under the supervision of the Office Assistant. Exception: Only Office Personnel will use the new typewriter that is to be purchased.

She will receive two (2) weeks vacation with pay. This was approved by the Executive Committee July 23, 1979. Approved by the Association October, 1979. Hospital benefits will be as provided in the budget.

COLUMBUS BAPTIST ASSOCIATION HISTORY

We owe a debt of gratitude to Mr. Byron Wyche for the maticulate records which he kept during the time he worked as Historian. Ray Wyche, son of Mr. Byron Wyche, and your chairman, found these records very helpful in searching for material to be used in the 1967 Historical Report.

The Cape Fear Association originally included the Baptist churches in several counties in the southeastern part of North Carolina with a few in South Carolina.

A table of historical statistics prepared by Professor J. T. Alderman was printed in the minutes of our association in 1924. This shows places of meetings, moderators, clerks and names of men preaching the annual sermon. According to this table, the first meeting was held in Saddle Tree Church in Robeson County in 1805. Thus we see that our Association is now 176 years.

This was twenty-five years before our Baptist State Convention was organized and sixteen years after George Washington became the first president of the United States. This southeastern part of North Carolina had been thinly settled, but along about this time a number of families had moved into this section from other parts of this state and other states. During the prior half century many Scotch and Irish families had come from Europe and settled along the Cape Fear River and outlying territory.

Columbus County was formed from Bladen and Brunswick Counties in 1808 and Whiteville selected as county sear a year or two later.

Religious interest had been rather low in some of this territory and churches were few and far between. A few Methodist churches had been organized and Bishop Asbury made a journey through this section in 1801, organizing other churches.

A few other Baptist Associations had been formed in North Carolina but the Baptist churches had arguments and differences of opinion among the members, in some cases dividing the membership. Some believed in missions and some others said that God would save other people in his own way and time. In some churches there were men who held to Calvinistic doctrine and beliefs of the Primitive Baptists.

Settlements and farms in this part of the state were widely scattered. Roads were poor and many of the people had very little education. Yet, people at that time appeared to know their neighbors fairly well although their homes might have been thirty or forty miles away. Their usual manner of travel was on horseback when too far to walk.

In the period prior to the Civil War (1861-1865) a number of new churches were established and few public schools by 1850-1860.

During the period between the Civil War and close of the century many new churches were started in the bounds of the Cape Fear Association. There were more people, more families, more roads, and more schools. There were more interest in church work and in most communities Sunday Schools were carried on. Most of the people were poor and living standards continued low for many years. Public schools were available to most children but usually for two or three months. Many people were illiterate.

Our Association dates back to 1805, but was first known as Cape Fear. Columbus split off from the Cape Fear in 1888, for a short period of time. The records do not specify the time it was known as Cape Fear-Columbus. Read further in the records for details.

For a long time the Cape Fear Association included churches in Robeson, Columbus, Bladen and Brunswick Counties with some in Pender and a few in South Carolina near the state line. Later the Robeson, Bladen and Brunswick Associations were formed leaving a smaller number of churches in the Cape Fear.

About 1888 a number of churches in Columbus County withdrew from the Cape Fear Association and organized the Columbus Association. Several churches in Columbus County including Bogue Chapel (Hallsboro) remained in the Cape Fear and a few years later the Columbus Association was consolidated with the Cape Fear under the name of Cape Fear-Columbus Association. In 1936 the name was changed to Columbus Association. Early in the present century some of the churches in the lower part of Columbus County and the western part of Brunswick County organized Dock Association.

In the period before so many churches left the Cape Fear Association there was always a great interest in the annual meeting. Attendance was usually large and the sessions continued from Wednesday or Thursday until Sunday. Many delegates would attend from long distances, considering their means of travel. When the annual meeting was held near a railroad station some would come by trail but in many cases they came by horse and buggy starting the day before the meeting.

The first time the Cape Fear Association met with Bogue Chapel Church (now Hallsboro) was in 1885 and this would be typical of the usual meetings of that time. The attendance was large as it usually was and the people started weeks ahead in preparing for the great number of visitors they expected. It took quite a number of pigs and chickens to feed so many. Many of the homes took all and more guests than they could take care of but they were glad to have the privilege of entertaining the folds from other churches. At this meeting (1885) the church building would not hold half the crowd and overflow services were held under the trees in the church yard.

Many who attended the associations were greatly interested in the religious services, of course, but the social features were an added attraction. This is evident from the fact that some made no effort to get into the church building. A few showed a fondness for the dinners served on the grounds and for the entertainment in the homes. Yet the members of many of the churches complained if they could not have the associational meeting with their church every few years.

During the past few years there has not been such large crowds at the annual meetings and sessions have been held usually only two days in the past few years. Beginning with 1949 the sessions have been held at different churches. We have seen more interest in the denominational work such as missions, orphanage and education than was shown two generations ago.

It is difficult to name the leading people in our associational history without leaving some whose names should be included. But there are two dozen men who have been active in the work of the Baptist churches and who attended the associations regularly year after year. Many of these are shown as moderator and clerk year after year.

Since 1967 we have recorded the following events in the churches as we have access to the records.

In 1967 Cedar Grove's new brick structure was completed, Antioch observed their first homecoming and Trinity began a Sunday School prison minsitry.

In 1968 land was offered to Macedonia on April 14 for parking space, Oak Dale had land given them, Sweet Home erected a new educational building and fellowship hall, Whiteville First erecteda library and Antioch observed its Golden Anniversary.

In 1969, on October 26, Trinity held groundbreaking services for a new sanctuary, on October 19, Westside held groundbreaking services for a new building and Antioch installed air conditioning.

In 1970 Oak Dale held groundbreaking services for a new sanctuary on November 22, Trinity dedicated its new sanctuary on September 20, Westside was constituted on August 31 and on December 6, Clarendon held groundbreaking services for their present building.

In 1971, on June 27, Oak Dale held its first service in the their new building and on December 12 a cornerstone service was held. Trinity opened its day care on August 28 and property was bought for the associational office at the its present location. It was renovated and the office moved there in March. The total indebtedness was paid in three and one half years.

In 1972 Sweet Home built a sanctuary, in April Pleasant Hill held its first service in their present sanctuary, and also in April Brunswick purchased land for a parsonage. In November Brunswick purchased an organ and a public address system for the church. Clarendon held its dedication service for its new building and the indebtedness was paid in seven years.

In 1973 on November 22 Macedonia had a deed given for land for a fellowship hall, Sweet Home purchased an organ and piano, Western Prong held dedication services on January 28 for its new educational building and had a noteburning. Pleasant Hill's debt on the sanctuary was paid.

In 1974 New Hope held a Centennial Program in November with characters being descendents of those characters played and Oak Dale held a noteburning on November 17 for its sanctuary.

In 1975 Iron Hill had a tract of land given to the church, Macedonia had land given for an educational building on December 6, Porter Swamp dedicated its new fellowship hall on November 26, West Whiteville's sanctuary was completed. The association gave $3,500 to purchase a church lot in Ecuador. Those churches included Bolton, Cedar Grove, Chadbourn, Cherry Grove, China Grove, Clarendon, Corinth, Delco, Evergreen, Fair Bluff, Faith, Hallsboro, Iron Hill, Lake Waccamaw, Mount Zion, New Hope, Oak Dale, Piney Forest, Pleasant Hill, Pleasant Plains, Porter Swamp, Riegelwood, Sweet Home, Tabor City, Trinity, Western Prong and Westside. Also $1,500 was given for remodeling the associational office. At Antioch a new piano was purchased.

In 1976 Macedonia's educational building was completed, Smyrna purchased land in September for an educational building, Western Prong remodeled its sanctuary, Westside was debt free of their educational building on August 26 and on December 26 was debt free on the parsonage. On June 6, Whiteville First dedicated a new pipe organ, West Whiteville added a steeple, Bolton held groundbreaking services on October 23 for new facilities, Pleasant Hill purchased new piano and Trinity sold their parsonage in September. The Association changed from a 2 day meeting in the Fall to one day in the Spring and one in the Fall for our annual meeting. The association was also debt free from the purchased of the present associational office.

In 1977 Delco decided to become full-time and build a parsonage, White Marsh covered their pews, Calvary relocated and built an educational building, Bolton had their first service in their new building on November 20, Pleasant Hill installed central air in May. Williamson's Cross Roads constructed a new fellowship building, Sweet Home also constructed a new educational building and Riegelwood organized a Senior Citizens group.

In 1978 Porter Swamp had a facial uplife, padded their pews and had wainscoting, Sweet Home paved their parking lot, Faith purchased Calvary's old building and on October 1, dedicated this building. Bolton dedicated its new building on January 8, Brunswick sold its parsonage in June and exceeded its church budget for the year over $16,000. Trinity had two of its members, Thomas and Kim Hinton to acccept the call as journeymen to Tanzania, East Africa and dedicated the sign out front on March 5 to the memory of Mrs. L. A. Williams. Antioch held groundbreaking ceremonies on September 4 for a new sanctuary, and Clarendon had a noteburning in November as well as built an addition on the south end of their educational building.

In 1979 Delco completed their parsonage in March, Hinson's Cross Roads remodeled its nursery and painted the church and parsonage, White Marsh purchased a new organ, Whiteville First covered their pews and a memorial garden was established as well as ordaining their Minister of Music, Dennis Phillips, to the Gospel Ministry on November 25. Pleasant Hill installed new carpet in the sanctuary, Lennon's Cross Roads completed their fellowship hall and Pleasant Plains dedicated its church library.

In 1980 Antioch held its first service in the new building on January 6 and held dedication services for the new sancatuary on March 16, Chadbourn paid off an indebtedness on Miller property, Delco held noteburning services on June 29 for their parsonage and called their first full-time pastor, Faith installed heating and air as well as new lighting, Nakina purchased land for a new building, New Hope broke ground on January 6 for a new educational building, and held dedication services for this new building on Novmber 2, Tabor City's building was destroyed by fire in January, they remodeled the old parsonage for the purpose of using it for office space, and new construction began on a new educational building. Trinity purchased a new piano, Union Valley began a ministry to shut-ins, Westside bricked their building, Peace held dedication services for their new buidling on November 9, White Marsh made improvements to their parsonage, Cerro Gordo dedicated a new brass Bible stand and candlesticts and Trinity had several men recognized by the governor for their prison Sunday School ministry.

In 1981 Riegelwood, Delco, Bolton and Clarendon had several of its members to participate in a mission endeavor in West Virignia in the construction of a church building in Kingwood. Delco began a Deacon Ministry Plan, Cedar Grove building was destroyed by fire April 23, Tabor City held dedication services for its new educational building on September 20, Union Valley began construction on a new educational building, Union Chapel completed a new fellowship hall, bricked the church, added air and central heat and a new vestibule, White Marsh is debt free, West Whiteville covered pews and Williamson's Cross Roads organized a WMU on February 23.

RIEGELWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH

The Riegelwood Baptist Church came into being on December 7, 1952, when a group of eighteen (18) met in one of the Riegelwood homes. Several associational workers aided in the early organizational work of the church.

Worship services were held in various homes until the parsonage was built in 1953. It was then used as a parsonage, educational building, and sanctuary.

By 1956 the membership had outgrown the facilities of the parsonage, so the church moved to the recently vacated Acme Presbyterian Church.

A giant step was made in 1960 when the construction of the church was completed and the Riegelwood Baptist Church worshipped in its own lovely new building on September 4, 1960.

An equally giant step was made in 1965 when the construction of a youth educational and fellowship building was completed. This new space was greatly needed due to the tremendous growth in membership and an increasing ministry to children and young people.

In 1967 a beautiful organ was installed which has enriched the worship services greatly.

In 1969 the sanctuary building and adult Sunday School rooms were air-conditioned and the sanctuary was repainted.

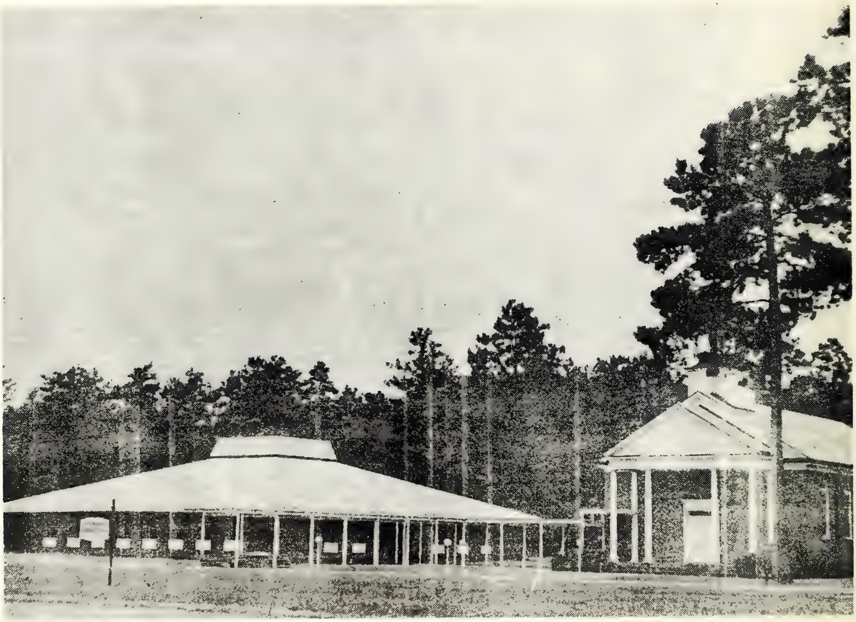
In 1971 parking space was paved to park 65 cars in parking lanes. More cars can be parked in driveways with supervision.

From a beginning of 18 members the membership of Riegelwood Baptist Church has increased until at present it is approximately 305.

The challenge and opportunity remains great. We look forward to a greater and wider work in missions, evangelism, education and ministry.

As the Baptist Men reorganized in 1979, they led the church in a vision to help a sister church in West Virginia. As North Carolina Baptists reached out to West Virginia, Riegelwood reached out to Kingwood. Miracles abounded as 60 some lay persons and three pastors from the area traveled in July, 1981, to help erect a building, lead in Bible study and Backyard Bible Clubs. The first miracle being the $10,200 raised mostly in two (2) months.

Those having served as pastor are as follows: Ronald Rice from June 1953 until December 1955; George W. H. White from January 1956 until February 1957; R. M. Walton from February 1957 until February 1961; Carl Burton from March 1961 until June 1962, R. L. Stocks from January 1963 until June 1965, Frank Neville from February 1966 until February 1977 and Larry Knowles from November 1977 until the present time.



Riegelwood, Baptist Church
Riegelwood, North Carolina

Smyrna Baptist Church
Whiteville, North Carolina

SMYRNA BAPTIST CHURCH

Smyrna Baptist Church was organized in November, 1886, four (4) miles northwest of Whiteville under the name of "Union Valley" at a place then called "Prospect". The church joined the Cape Fear-Columbus Association in 1890. A. G. Stocks acted as pastor and served until 1891. The first enrollment numbered about twenty (20).

In 1891 Rev. Stocks was succeeded by G. W. Hill who served the church from 1891 to 1892, at which time the church moved its meeting place to the new school house and changed the name to "Smyrna". The first meeting was held in the new school house on Saturday before the first Sunday in July, 1892.

In 1894 a frame building consisting of one room, two (2) doors at the front, and a bell tower was erected. Sunday School classrooms were not added until 1937.

Angelo Porter served the church from 1892 until 1895. J. A. Smith succeeded Rev. Porter in April 1895. Rev. Blalock succeeded Rev. Smith and rook up his duties the first Sunday in November, 1902. D. W. Triplet succeeded Rev. Blalock and took up his duties in February, 1904. J. T. Tyner succeeded Rev. Triplet and took his post as pastor the second Sunday in November, 1906. A. Stanley was called as pastor Saturday before the first Sunday in September, 1910. J. H. Poteat succeeded Mr. Stanley and took up his pastorate duties Saturday before the third Sunday in October, 1914. J. K. Morgan succeeded Rev. Poteat as pastor and served as pastor from June, 1920 to April, 1921. H. C. Haddock served the church from April, 1921 until September, 1921. W. B. Avery served as pastor from April, 1922 until October, 1922. I. T. Newton took up his duties as pastor Saturday before the third Sunday in February, 1923 and served until 1925. W. J. Russell was called to succeed Rev. Newton. He served as pastor until 1934, except from January, 1929 until October, 1929, when W. A. Coleman served this term. G. M. Singletary was called as pastor October 13, 1934 and served until 1940, during which time, on February 16, 1937, the church decided that they needed separate Sunday School rooms added on the old building, as the old building was becoming rather weather beaten. This work was completed on December 8, 1937. R. J. Rasberry followed Mr. Singletary and served from 1941 until 1943. Mr. Rasberry was succeeded by B. G. Early, who was pastor from 1944 until 1947. B. H. Laughridge came to the church in 1947 and was pastor until 1950. It was during the pastorate of Stanley K. Howard, who served from 1951 until 1955, that in 1952, ground was broken for the present building. Mother's Day, May 11, 1952, was chosen for the formal groundbreaking service for the proposed construction of the present building. One year later the new building was completed and a general homecoming was set. On Sunday, October 2, 1955, a note burning and Dedication service was held. The church's indebtedness was paid.

Oscar L. Holland served as pastor from 1956 until 1959. A pastorium was erected in 1958. Daniel M. Spell was issued a call in 1960 and served until 1965. C. E. Brisson was called in 1965 and he served until 1966. Edwin H. Hedgepeth was extended a call and was pastor until 1972. Frank Robinson served Smyrna Baptist Church from 1972 until 1976.

SMYRNA BAPTIST CHURCH

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In September, 1976, the adjoining tract of land, containing 1.4 acres was purchased with hope of the erection of an educational, social building in the future for which a building fund has been started.

Steve Fink became pastor of the church in December, 1976 and served until August 23, 1981.

PROCEEDINGS

1. The Annual Spring Session of the Columbus Baptist Association met on Tuesday, April 28, 1981, 4:00 P. M. at New Hope Baptist Church. Ed Worley, Moderator, presided.

2. The afternoon session was opened with the singing of the hymn, "I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord", led by Dennis Phillips.

3. The welcome was extended from the host church by Edgar Hinson.

4. Albert Hastings presented a devotion on evangelism using the texts of John 20:21 and Luke 1:8. He challenged us to find out "Who Are We?" We can be a true witness or a false witness. We are God's sent people. We are His witnesses. He closed with prayer.

5. Phil Moore of Lennon's Cross Roads was recognized as a new pastor.

6. The congregation was led in singing the hymn, ""Are Ye Able", Said the Master".

7. Robert McNair, pastor of Cedar Grove Baptist Church, was recognized for comments related to the fire that had recently destroyed the church building. He quoted, "You can destroy the building, but not the church. We're going to depend on the Lord to rebuild."

8. Merlin Boone introduced the guest speaker.

9. Doyle Pennington from the Home Mission Board brought an inspirational message on "Evangelism in Our Denomination" using Jonah 1 as his text. In his testimony he stated he was a Christian a long time before God became Lord of his life. All of us are to take inventory of our own lives. Where are we in our spiritual journey?

10. The Nominating Committee Report was read by Wanda Horton. A motion for the acceptance of these officers was made by J. P. Williams, seconded by Edgar Hinson and carried by the group. A copy of that report will appear elsewhere in the minutes.

11. A grou pf young people from the Whiteville First Baptist Church known as "His Kids" gave a concert including, "I Just Came to Praise the Lord", "His Name is Jesus", "Give Them All to Jesus", and "Rise Again".

12. The congregation sang, "The Solid Rock".

PROCEEDINGS

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13. Doyle Pennington brought a second message on prayer. There are three (3) types of prayer needs: permanent, temporary and answered. Prayer is no program. It is a need. It fits in the church, association and convention because it is a ministry. He asked, "What mission field has God put you on?" God has to be working in our lives in order for us to minister in His name. His text came from Luke 5. The three (3) types of people are curious, pre-occupied and busy people. We've got to get busy for Jesus. We need to support those on the mission fields, not necessarily with money, but with prayers. He challenged us to find the mission field God has given us. We will be miserable until we do.

14. The Prayer of Thanksgiving was offered by Phil Moore.

15. The Evening Session was opened with the singing of "Are You Washed in the Blood?"

16. Jim McQuere presented a devotion taken from John 20:19-23. Several things gleaned from this passage include His presence, we must proclaim a living God, His purpose for our lives, He has the authority to delegate us "to go", and His power. He will not tell us to do anything we cannot do. When we exercise His will it is easy for us to go. He concluded with prayer.

17. Dennis Phillips presented a concert which included, "This Love Is Mine", "How Dark is the Night", "How Rich Am I", "It Took a Miracle", "He", and "I Find No Fault in Him".

18. Doyle Pennington presented a third message with this one focusing on "What A Layman Can Expect From His Pastor". His text was Proverbs 29:18. There is a need for a vision. He must see God and know who God is. When this happens he will be in tune with God, there will be no pulling apart, and He will be the spiritual leader. The pastor is to see who he is. We are to support our pastors. It will cost you. The only hope we have is that God is coming again. A relationship is to be built with him. A prayer support team should be developed. We have four (4) comfort zones. They are comfort, concern, care and commitment. We've got to get involved and we must see God's purpose. He challenged us with these statements: "Have you seen God? Have you seen the world." Mr. Pennington concluded with prayer.

19. S. C. Davis brought thanks from the Resolutions Committee to New Hope and the Program Committee.

20. The benediction was rendered by Roy Walker.

Respectfully submitted,

Wanda Horton
Clerk

Annual Fall Associational Meeting
Program
Tuesday, October 20, 1981
Antioch Baptist Church

2:45	Registration	
3:00	Hymn No. 276	"Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"
3:05	Welcome	Vernon Williamson
3:10	Recognition of new pastors	Ed Worley
3:15	Special Music	
3:20	Annual Sermon	Sidney Britt
3:50	Hymn No. 80	"Rescue the Perishing"
3:55	Evangelism progress on "Here's Hope" Evangelism Activities	
4:10	Recommendations from Credentials Committee	Wade Fowler
	Executive Committee Report	
4:25	Memorial	Mrs. Bertie Lanehart
4:30	Reports	
	Music	Dennis Phillips
	Brotherhood	Pete Floyd
	Library	Mrs. H. R. Lane
	Time, Place and Preacher	Elmore Strickland
	Sunday School	Richard Poynor
	Church Training	Bobby Stanley
	Recognition of visitors	
4:55	Hymn No. 191	"When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"
5:00	W.M.U. Report	Mrs. Frances McCraw
5:15	Hymn No. 160	"What A Friend We Have in Jesus"
5:20	Special Music	
5:30	Message	Dr. Keith Griffin
6:00	Prayer of Thanksgiving	Maurice Gilliam
7:00	Hymn No. 390	"When We Walk With the Lord"
7:05	Message	Phil Moore
7:15	Missions Committee	Larry Knowles
7:30	People Search Progress Report	Charles Simmons
7:40	Hymn No. 351	"Open My Eyes That I May See"
7:45	Recognition of special people	
8:05	Budget Report	Elmore Strickland
	Committee on Committees Report	Leo Ward
	Resolutions	S. C. Davis
	Hymn No. 112	"At the Cross"
8:10	Special Music	
8:15	Message	Roy Smith
8:45	Adjournment	

Program Personalities

Sidney Britt	Pastor Mount Zion
S. C. Davis	Pastor Calvary
Pete Floyd	Associational Brotherhood Director Evergreen
Wade Fowler	Moderator-Elect Corinth
Maurice Gilliam	Pastor Hallsboro
Dr. Keith Griffin	Wingate College
Larry Knowles	Pastor Riegelwood
Mrs. H. R. Lane	Associational Library Director Faith
Mrs. Bertie Lanehart	Layperson Western Prong
Phil Moore	Pastor Lennon's Cross Roads
Mrs. Frances McCraw	Associational WMU Director Trinity
Dennis Phillips	Minister of Music Whiteville First
Richard Poynor	Associational Sunday School Director Sweet Home
Charles Simmons	Layman Bolton
Roy Smith	Baptist State Convention
Bobby Stanley	Associational Church Training Director Clarendon
Elmore Strickland	Pastor Westside
Leo Ward	Layman Chadbourn
Vernon Williamson	Pastor Antioch, Macedonia
Ed Worley	Moderator Western Prong

PROCEEDINGS

1. The One Hundred Seventy-Seventh Annual Fall Associational Meeting was called to order on Tuesday, October 20, 1981 at Antioch Baptist Church at 3:00 P. M. by Moderator, Ed Worley.

2. The meeting was opened with the congregation singing, "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms" directed by Dennis Phillips.

3. Vernon Williamson, host pastor, extended the welcome and S. W. Jolly led in prayer.

4. The following new pastors and wives were recognized:
David and Rita Anderson - Faith
Jim and Enan Baldwin - Pleasant Hill
Maurice and Stella Gilliam - Hallsboro
Ray Yarborough - New Hope

5. "Don't Life Your Spirit From Me" was offered by Dennis Phillips as special music.

6. Sidney Britt delivered the annual sermon using Acts 1:8-11 as his text. His message was entitled, "The Source of Our Power" and focused on three (3) men who followed Christ. These were Peter, Stephen and Paul. He stressed "Are we going to follow Jesus?"

7. The congregation was led in the hymn, "Rescue the Perishing".

8. Bervin Ferguson brought a recommendation from the Pastors' Conference in reference to West Virginia. This was seconded by Phil Moore and carried. The recommendation appears elsewhere in these minutes.

9. Hughet Godwin brought the Evangelism Report and a recommendation for its adoption. This was seconded by S. C. Davis and carried.

10. Walter Jones brought the Executive Committee Report and recommendation for its acceptance. This was seconded and carried. Faye Pierce and Wanda Horton displayed the associational flag that had been commissioned by the association to fly at the Baptist State Convention in Greensboro in November. The background was red, a map of Columbus County in gold with lettering of Columbus Baptist Association in black. The Southern Baptist Convention logo was to the left side. It was made of broad cloth and was 5' by 7'. The flag was designed by George Knight and made by Frances McCraw and Dora Adams.

11. Wade Fowler presented the Credentials Committee Report and moved for its adoption. This was seconded by Charles Simmons and carried.

12. Bertie Lanehart brought the Memorial Service using Revelation 14:6-7; 12-13 as her text.

13. Dennis Phillips gave an un-written Music Report. He told that Glory Songs were still being used and stressed a school of music during the year led by state leaders. He made a motion for acceptance of this report. This was seconded by S. C. Davis and carried.

14. Alan Buffkin gave an un-written Brotherhood Report and made a motion for its acceptance. This was seconded by Thurman White and carried.

15. The Time, Place and Preacher Committee Report and recommendation for its acceptance was given by Phil Moore. After a second by Willis Horton, the motion carried.

16. The Church Training Report and recommendation for its acceptance was given by Bobby Stanley, seconded and carried.

17. I. B. Lauren reported for Campbell College. It is the only Baptist College owned completely by Baptists. He is Director of Financial Aid and reported 495 students received aid last year.

18. Manuel Canup reported for Wake Forest. He is Director of Missions in Piedmont Association.

19. Keith Griffin reported for Wingate College.

20. The congregation sang, "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross".

21. Frances McCraw gave the W.M.U. report. She made the motion for its acceptance. This was seconded by Thurman White and carried.

22. Ed Worley gave the Moderator's Report and expressed for patience shown to him.

23. The congregation was led in singing, "What A Friend We Have in Jesus".

24. Dennis Phillips rendered "The Blood Will Never Loose Its Power."

25. Dr. Keith Griffin from Wingate College brought an inspiring message entitled, "Speakers For Christ", and used several scriptures. He made three (3) major points in showing our total being shows if we know Christ as we touch lives. We are to prepare, share and listen.

26. The prayer of Thanksgiving was offered by Maurice Gilliam.

27. The evening session was opened with the hymn, "When We Walk With the Lord."

28. A devotion was led by Phil Moore entitled, "Am I Lifting Up Jesus" using John 3:3 as his text.

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(Continued)

29. The Missions Committee report was given by Larry Knowles. We need power, strength and determination.

30. Charles Simmons reported for People Search there was a total of 13 people present at two (2) workshops.

31. The congregation sang, "Open My Eyes".

32. The following people were recognized for special service in the association.
Larry Knowles for Missions Committee and World Missions Conference by Robbie Bigford.
Ruth Whitley for Literacy work by Mrs. Bigford.
Marvin Council and Sally Council for the lake ministry by Bervin Ferguson.
Frances McCraw for W.M.U. by Faye Pierce.
Merlin Boone recognized:
    Ed Worley as Moderator and Vice-Moderator.
    James C. "Pete" Floyd for Brotherhood.
    Millard Crumpler for Seminary Extension.
    Dennis Phillips for Music.

33. Elmore Strickland gave the Budget Committee Report and moved its adoption. This was seconded by Charles Simmons and carried.

34. The Committee on Committees Report was brought by Bertie Lanehart, seconded by Robbie Bigford and carried.

35. S. C. Davis expressed thanks of hospitality to Antioch for the Resolutions Committee. A standing vote was taken for this acceptance.

36. The hymn, "At The Cross" was sung.

37. Delma Ezzell gave the Financial Report and made a motion for its acceptance. This was seconded and carried.

38. Fourteen (14) pastors made up the choir which rendered "Love Lifted Me" and "Our Best" as special music.

39. Roy Smith brought a message on successful disciples using Titus 3:14. He challenged us to become what God wants us to be.

40. Wade Fowler and Bernard Lennon were recognized as in-coming Moderator and Vice-Moderator, respectively. Mr. Fowler pledged his love and leadership and asked our cooperation with him. Mr. Lennon stressed unity in rising together to meet the occasion.

41. Mr. Fowler dismissed with the benediction.

Respectfully submitted,

Wanda Horton, Clerk

DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS REPORT

The year 1980-81 has been a year in which we have focused on training. I will list some of the projects that have been completed or hopefully will be completed before the end of 1981.

Here is a list of things completed before November 1.

1. Basic Sunday School book for each age taught twice.

2. Church Training has secured Mrs. Ruth Prince, a special worker in the Church Training Department to work with churches who desire to atart a Church Training program. See Church Training Report for more details.

3. During the month of January a joint meeting between the Black Baptist Association and our association to kick off the Joint Crusade of "Here's Hope".

4. Vacation Bible School Clinic was attended by all agel levels at Rockingham and two clinics were held in our association to train our leaders.

5. Rev. Herman Goodin and Rev. Jim Baldwin have both attended special conferences at Caraway in order to prepare themselves as consultants to help pastors with the lay win school materials. Rev. Goodin will deal with the soul winning materials and Rev. Baldwin, the follow up materials.

6. Both the Brotherhood and W.M.U. had special training events which will be included in their reports.

7. Literacy training. This report will be found under the Missions Report, but we need to just say a word of appreciation to Mrs. Ruth Whitley and the men and women who have really committed themselves to helping with this work.

8. There is a great deal of missions work going on in our local churches that should be noted even though it is not under the associational supervision.

   A. The ministry to the deaf.

   B. The Senior Citizens groups that are being ministered to by clusters of churches or individual churches in some cases.

   C. Some work is being done with the handicapped. Our churches have helped by providing a meal at Christmas when the Christmas program is planned.

There may be other churches who are offering special programs for special groups and we would be happy to recognize them if they would identify the work they are doing.

DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS REPORT
(Continued)

It has been my privilege to preach fifty-three times in our churches. In several others I have led Bible studies, taught mission studies, and visited a total of thirty-seven (37) of our churches.

This has been a year of change as nearly twenty-five (25) percent of our churches have experienced personnel changes.

I would like to take this opportunity to express appreciation to those who have served on our Associational Council and Executive Committee. There is one person who has given much time in the past four (4) years . He has missed only two or three meetings during the total time. In addition to attending meeting her has made himself available for other committee meetings when needed and has touched base with the Director of Missions at least once each week to offer help if needed. This person is our distinguished moderator, Ed Worley. Many others have given very valuable time, but I can't recall any one giving more than "Ed". All of us owe him a debt of gratitude for his contributions.

There are others who have contributed much time and one who is no longer with us is Millard Crumpler. Those who worked with him in the Seminary Extension work know the hours he laborerd to get this important part of our program. He gave up his Saturdays for fifteen months to work in our prison Seminary Extension work.

Our Program Committee will be honoring others who have given unselfishly of their time to make our programs successful.

Respectfully submitted,

Walter S. Jones

LOOKING AHEAD

Now to focus on the potential we have out before us.

According to the census information available from the U. S. Burea of Census and the work sheet provided by Dr. Ernest Upchurch, there are twelve thousand or more white residents of this county who do not profess to be Christians. This does not include the other lost people of other races. Dr. Upchurch further suggested that at our rate of reaching people we would need at least twenty new churches if we won Columbus County for Christ.

When we read his suggestions we understand what he is saying. Time and again we hear the words we have enough churches to reach these people. How true this is except for the fact we aren't reaching them. We have 48 churches and a mission and currently have only ten thousand or there about resident members.

If we start these new churches and there is evidence enough to force us to realize we cannot ignore the lostness of one out of every four in our county. We need to return to the strategy made a million more in fifty-four and the thirty thousand movement successful. During those periods of time the Bible teaching program was emphasized, training by the means of a strong Church Training program and visitation by the men of the Brotherhood and the ladies of the W.M.U.

Our leaders have seen this in the way they suggest the long range program of our convention reflects this concept.

This year a study was begun on long range planning. Some of this work has moved along nicely. One committee has completed its work and another is nearing completion while, unfortunately, much of the work still remains to be started. Hopefully, those who assumed leadership of the different studies will move swiftly and complete their work so we can make adequate preparation to meet the needs of our association now and also in the future.

The Columbus Baptist Association can and will accomplish, to the Glory of God, what its constituency commits to Christ through their giving and personal leadership.

Since I have been here several have really sacrifically given of themselves and their resources to make this a better association.

Respectfully submitted,

Walter S. Jones

MODERATOR'S REPORT

I became involved in our Baptist Association about 1966. At that time I had no idea what was ahead for me in way of service to our Lord. As I look back over these 15 years, I count many very pleasant memories and countless blessings. It all started with serving in the Brotherhood and the with RA's. Our RA basketball program started at that time. The next step was to serve on the finance committee and later serve several years as chairman. Even at this point I didn't know what God's plan was. However, I had always "daydreamed" and had thoughts of "how wonderful it would be, to be moderator". I never shared that thought with anyone. In 1977 I was asked by the committee to serve as vice-moderator. I couldn't believe it at first. It was a highlight of my life. It was two years as vice-moderator and then on to moderator. What a wonderful experience it has been. Now I find that time has caught up with the experience and the end is now present of that experience that I never thought I would have personally. It has been wonderful! The years of experience has helped me to grow in commitment, dedication and spiritually. Also, I have tried to keep a good track record in attending our meetings with the Council, Executive Committee and some of our other committees. As I am speaking to the personal side of this report, what I am really saying is that if you will let God have control of your life, He will use you.

As I look back over these four years, there are some questions that will go unanswered, and they have been hard to accept. All of our ministers are not in total support of our programs. There are some ministers that have never been to any of our meetings. A larger percentage of them will come to the annual meeting, but you never see them at the Executive Committee meeting. Now how would you like to serve on a committee with someone with that kind of interest? That may be one reason why some of our programs are not pushed from the pulpit. For the church, any program must be borned in the pulpit and started there if it is to be successful. However, let me say that we have about 20% of our ministers that serve our association with commitment and dedication. The largest percentage of our lay people are willing to let someone else do it.

Our Associational Council and many of our committees have worked hard this past year. I would urge that the programs that they have implemented to be continued with a total effort. To name just a few:

- Joint Evangelistic Crusade
- Our Bold Mission Thrust
- Long Range Planning Committee
- Building and Lot Search Committee
- People Search Committee
- Missions Committee
- Evangelism Committee
- Prison and lake ministry

MODERATOR'S REPORT
(Continued)

This being my final report, as Moderator, I want to make known my sincere appreciation to Mr. Walter Jones for the splendid relationship. On behalf of our membership I have found through my association with Mr. Jones that he is a dedicated person, willing, helpful, knowledgeable and above all, the highest remark paid to any person and that is that he is faithful to God and to the association. I have set through many meetings with him, traveled great mileage with him through all kind of weather and many individual meetings with him concerning the planning and the future of our association. I would say without hesitation that he is an asset; kind but yet firm.

As Moderator, this esteem experience has been a real blessing to me. My total effort, as your servant, has been to provide leadership through love and faithfulness in the style and fashion to compliment my Lord. To our 13,000 membership and 48 church and one under watch-care, thank you for the opportunity.

Respectfully submitted,

Ed Worley

HONOR CLERKS

Antioch	Mrs. Vera Fowler
Bolton	Mrs. Velma Herren
Brunswick	Mrs. Leona Ezzell
Calvary	Mrs. Maxine Z. Newell
Cerro Gordo	J. P. Hammond
Chadbourn	Miss Elaine Carr
Cheerful Hope	Mrs. Linda Hewett
Cherry Grove	Rudolph Lancaster
China Grove	Ms. Ila Clewis
Clarendon	Eugene Richardson
Corinth	J. A. Bowen
Delco	Mrs. Margaret Evans
Fair Bluff	Harold Foley
Forest Lawn	Mitchell Wright
Friendly Chapel	Mrs. Debbie Holcomb
Hallsboro	R. B. Wyche
Hinson's Cross Roads	Mrs. Ruth Reel
Iron Hill	Mrs. Ila Wright
Lake Waccamaw	Mrs. Dolores Duncan
Macedonia	Mrs. Carolyn Reynolds
Mount Zion	Mrs. Estelle W. Lennon
Nakina	Mrs. Ralph Sasser
Oak Dale	Mrs. Kimble Brock
Peace	Miss Tammie Norris
Piney Forest	Dr. Robert Yates
Pleasant Hill	D. C. Buffkin
Pleasant Plains	Ms. Ileta Collier
Porter Swamp	Mrs. Sadie Herring
Riegelwood	Mrs. Beverly Benton
Smyrna	Mrs. Melba Gurkin
Sweet Home	Mrs. Nancy Marlowe
Tabor City	Ms. Bernice Gerald
Trinity	Mrs. Leola FormyDuval
Union Chapel	A. O. Squires
Union Valley	Mrs. John H. Russ
Western Prong	Mrs. Jo Wooten
Westside	Mrs. Annie Inman
White Marsh	Billy Rushing
Whiteville West	Mrs. Janice Galloway
Williamson's Cross Roads	A. I. Williamson

Let me take this opportunity to thank each of these clerks who have put forth an extra effort to have their church letters into the associational office at the appointed time.

Your promptness is very much appreciated.

If I can be of service to you, please feel free to call on me.

In His Service,

-Wanda Horton

NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

1981 - 1982

Moderator	Rev. J. Wade Fowler (Corinth) 303 Pireway Road, Tabor City 653-3504
Vice-Moderator	Mr. Bernard Lennon (Lennon's Cross Roads) Route 1, Box 436, Evergreen 648-4636
Clerk	Ms. Wanda Horton (New Hope) Route 5, Box 99, Whiteville 642-2155
Treasurer	Mr. Delma Ezzell (Brunswick) P. O. Box 203, Brunswick 642-6265
Sunday School Director	Rev. Richard Poynor (Sweet Home) Route 1, Box 131-A, Clarendon 653-3377
Church Training Director	Mr. Bobby Stanley (Clarendon) Route 1, Box 2, Clarendon 653-2925
Brotherhood Director	Mr. Alan Buffkin (Pleasant Hill) Route 5, Box 71, Whiteville 642-7305
Woman's Missionary Union Director	Mrs. Faye Pierce (White Marsh) Route 2, Box 54-C, Whiteville 642-7250
Music Director	Rev. Dennis Phillips (Whiteville First) 412 North Madison Street, Whiteville 642-2139
Church Library	Mrs. H. R. Lane (Faith) 220 North Franklin Street, Whiteville 642-3371
Evangelism	Rev. Hughet Godwin (Bolton) Route 1, Box 13, Bolton 452-3300
Missions Committee	Rev. Bervin Ferguson (Forest Lawn) P. O. Box 693, Tabor City 653-9631

Respectfully submitted,

Sidney Britt, Chairman
Charles Horne
Robert Ford
Guy FormyDuval

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

Credentials:
- Ray Justice (Trinity) '82
- J. Parks Godwin (Bolton) '82
- *Daniel Deaton (Tabor City) '84

Missions:
- Mrs. Ruth Whitley (Whiteville First) '82
- Cornie Shelley (Hinson's Cross Roads) '82
- Mrs. Joanne Barnes (Lake Waccamaw) '82
- Herman Goodin (Cerro Gordo) '83
- George Berry (Union Valley) '83
- Ralph Gore (Brunswick) '83
- *Mrs. Robbie Bigford (Riegelwood) '84
- *Willis Horton (Western Prong) '84
- *Bervin Ferguson (Forest Lawn) '84

Finance:
- Earl Ward (Trinity) '82
- E. L. Rabon (Corinth) '82
- C. D. Branch (Lennon's Cross Roads) '82
- Herbert Swain (Bolton) '83
- Crowell Hinson (Sweet Home) '83
- Edgar Hinson (New Hope) '83
- John Stephenson (Western Prong) '83
- *Peggy Stanley (Clarendon) '84
- *Bill McRae (Riegelwood) '84
- *Vollie Edwards (Cherry Grove) '84

Ordination:
- *Robert Allen (Westside) '82
- *Daniel Deaton (Tabor City) '82
- Graham Ellis (Hinson's Cross Roads) '83
- *Larry Knowles (Riegelwood) '84
- *Roy Walker (Whiteville First) '84

Library:
- Mrs. H. R. Lane (Faith) '82
- Mrs. Sandra Weavil (Western Prong) '82
- *Mrs. Johnnye Burleson (Trinity) '84

Evangelism
- George Strickland (Cherry Grove) '82
- R. E. Carter (Clarendon) '83
- *Jack Strickland (Hinson's Cross Roads) '84
- *Hughet Godwin (Bolton) '84
- *Vernon Williamson (Antioch, Macedonia) '84

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

Time, Place and Preacher
*Phil Moore (Lennon's Cross Roads) '82
*Elmore Strickland (Westside) '83
*Robert Duncan (Oak Dale) '84

Resolutions:
Mrs. Sally Council (Hallsboro) '82
Mrs. Nancy Marlowe (Sweet Home) '83
*S. C. Davis (Calvary) '84

Nominating Committee:
Charles Horne (Oak Dale) '82
Robert Ford (Porter Swamp) '82
Guy FormyDuval (Nakina) '83
*Ed Worley (Western Prong) '84

Constitution:
Ray Lundy (Fair Bluff) '82
Tom Ray (Trinity) '83
*Sankey Robinson (Whiteville First) '84

Seminary Extension:
Merlin Boone (Cherry Grove) '82
Bill Wilson (Whiteville First) '82
George Knight (Delco) '83
*Brantley Stevens (Piney Forest) '83
*Maurice Gilliam (Hallsboro) '84
*Leo Ward (Chadbourn) '84

Trustees:
Horace Whitley (Whiteville First) '82
Gene Ezzell (Trinity) '83
*Royce Butler (Nakina) '84

Building and Grounds:
Boyd Thompson (Calvary) '82
Cleveland Baker (Bolton) '83
*Malcolm Mills (Sweet Home) '84

Program:
Mrs. Keith Blake (Chadbourn) '82
Mrs. Robbie Bigford (Riegelwood) '82
Tommy Norris (Sweet Home) '83
*Merlin Boone (Cherry Grove) '84

Special Building Committee:
John Stephenson (Western Prong)
Larry Knowles (Riegelwood)
Allen Price (Whiteville First)
Burnette Coleman (Fair Bluff)
Beasley Strickland (Cherry Grove)

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

Memorials:
    *Mrs. Bertie Lanehart (Western Prong) '82

Baptist Colleges:
    *J. C. FormyDuval (Nakina) '82

Baptist Children's Homes:
    *Boyd Thompson (Calvary) '82

Homes for the Aged:
    *Larry Ezzell (Brunswick) '82

Christian Life Council:
    *Ray Lundy (Fair Bluff) '82

Baptist Hospital:
    *Robert Shaw (Evergreen) '82

Deacons' Representative:
    *Roy Walker (Whiteville First) '82

Annuity Board Representative:
    *Ray Yarborough (New Hope) '82

Cooperative Program:
    *John Stephenson (Western Prong) '82

Christian Social Ministries:
    *Sidney Britt (Mount Zion) '82

Denominational Literature:
    *Paul Morrow (Peace) '82

Energy Conservation Consultant:
    *E. W. Greene (Sweet Home) '82

Youth Representative:
    *Brancie Stephens (Hinson's Cross Roads) '82

Churchmanship Representative:
    *George Knight (Delco) '82

Pastor and Staff Self Enrichment:
    *Merlin Boone (Cherry Grove) '82

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

November 24, 1980 called meeting. A self-study committee has been appointed in keeping with the vote of the association in its annual meeting on October 21, 1980 at Hinson's Cross Roads.

During the April 14 meeting at West Whiteville, the Executive Committee voted to commission an associational flag which was to be carried in the parade of flags at the joint session of the North Carolina Baptist Convention and the General Convention in Greensboro.

The Executive Committee voted to give Doug Bryant the old, discarded copier in the associational office. Mr. Bryant said he had a friend who could repair it and it would be most beneficial to him in Ghana.

The Committee approved a request to buy a video camera to be used with our video machine. This was purchased through special gifts from twenty-three (23) of our churches.

July 30 meeting. Building and Grounds Committee was requested to look into the possibility of repairing and painting the associational building.

A special committee to be named by the Committee on Committees was commissioned to look at future needs of the association in regards to office space, etc. It was recommended that the Moderator, Vice-Moderator and 5 members make up this committee.

A motion was made and passed that the associational office print the minutes this year at a cost of $2.40 per copy.

September 21, 1981. Building and Grounds recommended painting of building and repairing some boards be done as soon as money is available. (Money on certificate will come due in December).

Special committee approved the names of the following men as the special committee. Beasley Strickland, Burnette Coleman, Allen Price, John Stephenson, Larry Knowles, Wade Fowler, Moderator from Corinth and Bernard Lennon, Vice-Moderator from Lennon's Cross Roads.

Budget of Seminary Extension ammended so as to have sufficient funds to give Wade Fowler $126.00 for teaching a class at the prison. This was due to the fact Southeastern Community College did not participate due to a breakdown in their schedule.

CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE REPORT

The Credentials Committee of the Columbus Baptist Association recommends that the North Whiteville Baptist Church continue under the watchcare of the Columbus Baptist Association for one year of observation.

During this period of one year the North Whiteville Baptist Church will be observed in regard to cooperation and support of our denominational work, agencies and institutions.

Be it further suggested that North Whiteville Baptist Church continue to solicit and utilize the Missions Committee and any other committee of the Columbus Baptist Association to help in the development of organizations and programs.

Respectfully submitted,

J. Wade Fowler, Chairman
J. Parks Godwin
Ray Justice

WORLD MISSIONS CONFERENCE REPORT

Grand total attendance - 10,952
Average daily attendance - 1,092
Enrollment for mission study class - 60
Classes - for mission study -
Professions of faith - 1
Volunteers to mission service - 2
Other dedications - 16
Total cost per church - $175.00

A copy of this report was sent to each church participating on May 4, 1981.

Respectfully submitted,

Larry Knowles, Chairman
Herman Goodin, Treasurer

WMU NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

WMU Director	Mrs. Malcolm Pierce (Faye) Route 2, Box 54-C, Whiteville	White Marsh 642-7250
Asst. WMU Director	Mrs. Gene Inman (Frances) Route 1, Box 148-A, Whiteville	Western Prong 642-4202
Mission Action Director	Mrs. Evander Arnette (Rachel) Route 3, Box 260, Chadbourn	Piney Forest 654-4401
Asst. Mission Action Dir.	Mrs. Horace Whitley (Ruth) 227 East Calhoun St., Whiteville	Whiteville First 642-2442
Baptist Women Director	Mrs. Ralph Lewis (Marie) Route 2, Box 101, Chadbourn	Smyrna 642-7208
Asst. Bapt. Women Dir.	Mrs. Phillip Strole (Glenda) Route 2, Box 315, Chadbourn	Chadbourn 654-4878
Baptist Young Women Director	Mrs. David Baker (Kathy) Route 1, Box 287-A, Cerro Gordo	Cherry Grove 649-7322
Asst. Bapt. Young Women Dir.	Mrs. Wayne Hendrix (Shirley) Route 2, Box 93, Tabor City	Cherry Grove 653-2012
Acteens Director	Mrs. Wallace L. Clontz (Dana) 404 Pireway Road, Tabor City	Tabor City 653-3653
Asst. Acteens Director	Mrs. George Berry (Pauline) Route 5, Box 424-A, Whiteville	Union Valley 642-8472
GA Director	Mrs. Anthony Bass (Bobbi) Route 1, Box 129-A, Cerro Gordo	Cedar Grove 654-3751
Asst. GA Director	Mrs. Bernard Lennon (Jackie) Route 1, Box 436, Evergreen	Lennon's X Rds. 648-4636
Mission Friends Director	Mrs. Jerry Green (Katherine) Route 1, Box 131-A, Cerro Gordo	Cedar Grove 654-4883
Asst. Mission Friends Dir.	Mrs. David Corbett (Doris) P. O. Box 455, Tabor City	Tabor City 653-4113
Secretary	Mrs. Donald Prevatte (Betty Jo) 216 Pine St., Whiteville	Whiteville First 642-7321
Treasurer	Mrs. Elwyn Harris (Virginia) 416-C East First Avenue, Chadbourn	Chadbourn 654-5134

WMU NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT
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Members-at-large:

Group I	Mrs. Willard Wright (Alice) P. O. Box 581, Tabor City	Tabor City 653-3834
Group II	Mrs. Thomas Boswell (Alice) Route 3, Box 210-B, Whiteville	Pleasant Hill 642-7112
Group III	Mrs. William McCraw (Frances) Route 7, Box C-29, Whiteville	Trinity 642-5180
Group IV	Mrs. Currie Wooten (Margorie) Route 2, Box 113-A, Clarkton	Western Prong 648-4694
Group V	Mrs. J. L. Woolard (Mary) Route 1, Box 67-H, Delco	Cheerful Hope 655-4227

Nominating Committee:

Group I	Mrs. Archie Marlowe (Nancy) Route 1, Box 230, Clarendon	Sweet Home 653-3519
Group II	Mrs. Richard Miller (Cindy) Route 1, Fair Bluff	Hinson's X Rds. 649-7155
Group III	Mrs. Thurman White (Lila Mae) Route 4, Box 126, Whiteville	Antioch 642-4849
Group IV	Mrs. J. P. Williams (Geraldine) Route 6, Box 133, Whiteville	Whiteville West 642-3177
Group V	Mrs. Houston Miller, Jr. (Nancy) Route 1, Delco	Delco 655-4282

Scholarship Committee:

Group I	Mrs. David Kelly (Helen) 206 Orange St., Tabor City	Tabor City 653-2283
Group II	Miss Phyllis Bullard Route 3, Box 73, Chadbourn	Corinth 654-3526
Group III	Mrs. Ray Wyche (Melba) P. O. Box 183, Hallsboro	Hallsboro 646-3704
Group IV	Mrs. Gene Hickman (Virginia) Route 1, Box 623, Bladenboro	Lennon's X Rds. 648-4367
Group V	Mrs. A. T. Bryant (Faye) P. O. Box 131, Riegelwood	Riegelwood 655-3256

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. Anthony Bass, Chairperson
Mrs. Archie Marlowe
Mrs. Richard Miller
Mrs. Malcolm Pierce
Mrs. Fred Hyatt
Mrs. Houston Miller, Jr.

WMU REPORT

In September, 1980, 185 WMU leaders of Columbus Baptist Association attended four (4) Get-Ready Conferences, held at Cheerful Hope, Sweet Home, Fair Bluff and West Whiteville, to prepare for the 1980-81 year.

The first activity for WMU members was the NC WMU enlistment campaign called "10,000 MORE by November 4." The plan called for each WMU in NC to increase its membership by one new member for each organization. The women and girls responded well and we were one of fifty WMU who not only met our goal of 155 new members, but went over. This was the beginning of a SBC WMU enlistment campaign which will continue for several years. In November the Associational WMU Council conducted age-level manual studies plus two basic books for Mission Action leaders. Seventy-five women received Church Study Course Credit for participating in the five hour study.

Carolyn Hopkins, State Acteens Director, came down in January to help with an Associational Acteens Fashion Show, held at Whiteville First. Sixty Acteens and their leaders had an exciting and inspiring morning with Carolyn.

Twenty-five women and men from Columbus Association attended the WMU State Annual Session in Charlotte in March. Our WMU Director, along with the directors of other associations, who were successful in the 10,000 MORE campaign, was recognized and presented with a corsage at the Friday afternoon session.

Bea McRae, NC WMU president, Jane and Wendall Parker, missionaries to Guatemala and a group from Riegelwood Baptist Church, missions volunteers to West Virginia, all brought us a most inspirational and challenging program for our 71 Annual Associational WMU Spring Meeting at Chadbourn in March.

In April an Associational GA Day Camp was held at Sweet Home Church. One hudnred eighty GA and leaders had a wonderful time in the many experiences of the camp.

The Associational Acteens had a Spring Get-Together at New Hope in May. Jane Berget, a former foreign missionary and delightful speaker and singer, presented an inspirational program.

During the summer we had several students from our Association working at Fort Caswell and Mundo Vista. Also, a good number of our GA and Acteens went to Mundo Vista as campers.

Mission Friends Directors had a nice meeting for Mission Friends leaders in the spring. Many good ideas and helpful suggestions were shared by the group.

At Whiteville First in July our Associational WMU hosted one of four Leadership Workshops held by the NC WMU Directors for other Associational WMU Directors, to prepare them for the 1981-82 year.

WMU REPORT
(Continued)

At Christmas, the Baptist Women of the Association contributed to the purchase of presents for the 200 inmates and guards at the Brunswick Prison Unit. In addition to several Literacy Workshops (to train people to teach the 5,000 Columbus County adults who can't read), workshops on Domestic Violence, Alcoholism, Teen Suicide, Court Watchers, and Christian Life and Public Affairs, were held. Leaders of these conferences are all willing to come to any church or group to speak. Awareness of problems leads to awareness of solutions.

All during the year Associational WMU has worked with several churches in starting new organizations or in strengthening existing ones.

This has been a good year for the WMU of Columbus Association. We have grown in number, organizations and have had many opportunities to consider our Life-Changing Commitments and what a different life style could mean to missions. We pray that we will be open as the Lord continues to lead us in a deeper commitment to Him and His will in our lives and as we encourage others to become involved in missions at home and "to the uttermost parts of the earth."

Respectfully submitted,

Frances McCraw

CHURCH TRAINING REPORT

Church Training "M" Night was held November 24, 1980 at Whiteville First Baptist Church. We had a total of 403 present. Of this number 26 were pastors and 9 were Church Training Directors. Hinson's Cross Roads walked away with the attendance banner and the attendance certificate. We had 17 different classes to acquaint our people with the modules that are available. These classes were held during the first hour. The second hour we assembled in the sanctuary for a message by Rev. Hrman Goodin.

Youth Night Rally was held March 14, 1981 at Trinity Baptist Church with over two hundred present. The BSU from Campbell University conducted the program. The BSU group spent the night in the homes of our people and some conducted Sunday morning worship in local churches.

The youth of our association enjoyed a retreat at North Carolina Baptist Assembly on May 1 and 2, 1981. We had 162 in attendance. The Rev. Benton Willliams, with our Sunday School Board, led this retreat.

Dates for 1981 - 1982 are as follows:

Mrs. Ruth Prince - State Worker for new Church Training, October 25 - 29, 1981.
"M" Night - November 23, 1981
Youth Week - March 8 - 13, 1982
Youth Retreat - May 7 - 8, 1982

Church Training Council for 1981 - 1982:

Church Training Director - Bobby N. Stanley, Route 1, Box 2, Clarendon, N. C. 653-2925.
Assistant Church Training Director - Rev. Jim Baldwin, Route 5, Box 60, Whiteville, N. C. 28472 654-4807
Church Leader Training Director - Mrs. Pam Yarborough, Route 5, Box 37AB, Whiteville,N. C. 28472 642-5520
New Member Training Director - Rev. Bill Evans, P. O. Box 98, Cerro Gordo, N. C. 28430 654-4707
Adult Director - Rev. David Anderson, Route 5, Box 61, Whiteville, N. C. 28472 642-5335
Youth Director - Rev. Brancie Stephens, Route 1, Box 42-A, Fair Bluff, N. C. 28439 649-7477
Children's Director - Miss Jo Poynor, Route 1, Box 131-A, Clarendon, N. C. 28432 653-3377
Preschool Director - Mrs. Peggy Stanley, 109 Fowler Street, Tabor City, N.C 28463 653-3037
Bible Drill and Speakers Tournament - John Robert Faulk, Route 2, Box 92-B, Tabor City, N. C. 28463 653-4640

Respectfully submitted,

Bobby Stanley

CHURCHMANSHIP '81

During this past church year we have attempted, through notices, reminders, a study course, special Sunday School lessons and a seminar, to take a closer look at churchmanship: its meaning, its opportunities, its future, and we have found more and more people interested in becoming better churchmen.

The purpose for Churchmanship '81 and its successor, Churchmanship '82, was (is) fourfold:

(1) to create a renewed interest in Church,
(2) to study carefully the Biblical message of the church,
(3) to increase our understanding of churchmanship, and
(4) to appeal for a greater concern for developing growing churches.

We want to thank all those who have assisted in presenting Churchmanship, and look forward to the new year of the growing, maturing, quality churchman.

Cordially,

George N. Knight
Churchmanship Representative

TIME, PLACE AND PREACHER COMMITTEE REPORT

Time: Spring Inspirational Meeting, April 20, 1982
Place: Calvary Baptist Church
Time: Fall Associational Meeting, October 19, 1982
Place: Fair Bluff Baptist Church
Annual Sermon: Rev. Brancie Stephens
Alternate: Rev. Larry Knowles

Respectfully submitted,

Elmore Strickland, Chairman
Irene Lennon
Phil Moore

EVANGELISM REPORT

All Baptists are urged to participate in the Joint Evangelistic Crusade in 1982. The theme will be "Here's Hope". Interpretation meetings have been held across the state to suggest plans and basic thrusts for the Joint Crusade effort, which is co-sponsored by the Baptist State Convention and the General Baptist State Convention. The Simultaneous Revival dates for the areas are: Coastal - March 14-28; Piedmont - April 4-18; and Mountain - April 25-May 9, 1982. Every church is encouraged to plan a revival meeting during one of these suggested dates. Let us pray daily that every unsaved person in North Carolina will have the opportunity to hear the gospel of Christ by the end of 1982.

Churches are urged to have Lay Evangelism Schools in preparation for the '82 Joint Crusade. Master copies of transparencies to be used in teaching Lay Evangelism Schools were sent to all Directors of Missions. Seventy-three (73) associations have a trained Coordinator of Lay Evangelism Schools who will train other pastors in the association.

"Prayer and Awakening" was the theme of the 35th Statewide Evangelism Conference held February 2-3, 1981 in the Thomas Wolfe Auditorium, Asheville Civic Center, Asheville, North Carolina. About 2,400 pastors and lay persons attended this Conference.

Most of our associations have been involved in Bold Evangelism Clinics, encouraging church leaders to plan specific, on-going programs of evangelism in the local church, with the use of the notebook, Bold Evangelism Through The Local Church. The other associations are asked to plan a Bold Evangelism Clinic, and churches are also urged to enlist a Local Church Task Force on Evangelism to involve more members in direct witnessing to unsaved persons.

Thousands of youth were involved in the Youth Evangelism Conference in Fayetteville on August 28. This was a first in that there were three (3) held over the state this year. We thank God for these three wonderful evangelistic opportunities and for what He did in these services.

The Youth Evangelism Leadership Conference has rapidly become a major intensive equipping time for pastors and youth leaders. Key areas of the Conference are Personal Growth of the leader, youth witness training and discipleship, and equipping adults to minister to youth. During the 1981 Conference, October 5-7, at Caraway, Jack Taylor was the inspirational speaker.

Baptisms were up last year! Praise God! While it is too early to know, we all pray that North Carolina Baptists are recapturing the desire and commandment of the Lord to "feed my sheep." If so, we shall surely continue to see more persons led to receive Christ as Lord!

EVANGELISM REPORT

The 36th Statewide Evangelism Conference will be held in Greensboro during February 8-9, 1982.

On April 1, 1981, W. C. Lamb became Evangelism Consultant of the Hawaiian Baptist Convention.

Herman Goodin led several of the pastors in a lay evangelism school in preparing them to teach this in their own church. This was held September 15 as well as our Associational Evangelism Conference at Trinity Baptist Church. This was a very successful meeting. Rev. Eugene Gaskins and Rev. John Haas brought the messages with special music by the Goodwill Singers.

Next year the Associational Evangelism Conference will be held on a Friday night, September 17, 1982.

Respectfully submitted,

Hughet Godwin

LAKE WACCAMAW MINISTRY REPORT

We had a wonderful summer at the lake this year. Churches from all over the association took part in the Saturday evening and Sunday morning worship services. Our appreciation is extended to Mrs. Council for her spirit of cooperation and to the many youth and adults who led in worship.

Expenses for the summer totalled $73.45. Offerings totalled $297.82. Presently the amount of $1,008.90 is on deposit at the First Investors Savings and Loan Association for their self-supporting program.

The average attendance for the summer was 71. Total attendance for the summer was 1,070.

Mrs. Council held a Backyard Bible School of which the total was included in the Hallsboro record.

Respectfully submitted,

Bervin Ferguson

MEDIA/LIBRARY REPORT

We have had a total of 20 hours training activities for the year, as follows:

A group of Media/Library workers attended a workshop at Southport on November 21 and 22, 1980. The book "How to Use Audiovisuals" was taught by Mr. John A. Hack, consultant, Church Media Library Department, Sunday School Board, which was a very helpful learning experience.

On March 13 and 14, 1981, Mr. Hack also taught "How to Make Audiovisuals" at Trinity Church, Whiteville. For this study we were joined by a group from Brunswick and Bladen Counties.

Miss Edna Creech, former County Librarian for many years, and Librarian at First Church, Whiteville, for some time, taught "The Media Center Serving a Church" at the associational office June 19 and 20, 1981. This was a very informative and challenging study.

Rev. David Anderson, pastor of Faith Church, taught "The Baptist Faith and Message" at Trinity Church on two Friday night, September 18 and 25, 1981. This book is required for a "Media Services Leadership Diploma"; but, since this was a subject all church workers should be familiar with, all persons interested were invited.

Our emphasis for the year 1981-82 will be on promotion and training. If you want to start a Media Center in your church, or if your workers need any help, please contact some of the library committee and we will be glad to assist in any way possible.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. H. R. Lane

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REPORT

Twenty-eigh (28) churches reported Vacation Bible Schools to the association with a total enrollment of 2043 and an average attendance of 1726. There were 37 professions of faith reported by ten churches with four reporting a total of eight re-dedications.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles Simmons

YOUTH WORK

Youth work this year should be exciting. Youth Week will be observed March 8 through 13. Columbus Baptist Association will have a Youth Rally on March 13, 1982. Last year our Youth Rally was held at Trinity Baptist Church with over two hundred present. The B.S.U. from Campbell University conducted the program. This year's program will be just as exciting.

Also, the youth will be having a retreat at North Carolina Baptist Assembly. The date for this year will be May 7 and 8 and the emphasis will be on prayer. Last year we had a very good retreat with Rev. Benton Williams from our Sunday School Board leading it. The attendance at this past year's retreat was 162. Please pray about your young people attending this year.

Respectfully submitted,

Brancie Stephens

PASTOR AND STAFF ENRICHMENT COMMITTEE

Three six-hour workshops were sponsored by the Church Program Division of the North Carolina Baptist Convention and the Columbus Baptist Association during the church year of 1980-81.

The first workshop, led by Burrel Lucas of the state staff, allowed fourteen of our pastors to gain an indepth analysis of how we function as persons. This was followed by a workshop on "Time Management" and "Managing Volunteer Workers" presented by Marvin Myers of the Baptist Sunday School Board, Nashville, Tennessee.

Our third workshop was conducted by Dr. Gwen McCormick of our convention staff on "Ministry to the Terminally Ill" and "Ministry in Times of Grief."

Four workshops are planned for the 1981-82 church year.

Respectfully submitted,

Merlin Boone

SEMINARY EXTENSION REPORT

During the past year more than 10,000 persons enrolled in one or more Seminary Extension programs throughout the United States. This surpassed the enrollment of all six Southern Baptist seminaries.

In North Carolina, the enrollment was 2,300. These people studied primarily in 75 centers throughout the state. Some of them enrolled in the Independent Study Institute. They enjoyed selecting courses in the Basic Curriculum Series and the College-Level Curriculum.

As a part of our state missions program, North Carolina Baptists help underwrite the cost of study with Seminary Extension through the Cooperative Program budget. This subsidy helps keep the cost per course within a range every student can afford. It also helps to explain why our state has enjoyed the largest Seminary Extension program in the United States for the seventh consecutive year.

The program includes other vital areas of work by establishing centers among General Baptists in cooperation with Shaw Divinity School. Last year General Baptists accounted for 1,026 registrations in Seminary Extension.

Also, classes are held for prison inmates in Woman's Prison, Raleigh, Columbus County, Buncombe County, and Orange County. Plans are almost complete for a class in Central Prison, Raleigh. During the two years this program has existed inmated have registered in 50 courses through the Independent Study Institute. Students have enrolled in 12 prisons.

Columbus County presently has four active centers teaching Old and New Testament Survey courses. The Prison center at Brunswick has enrolled 64 inmates in 4 courses since January, 1981. There is a possibility of approving two (2) more centers in Columbus County very soon.

Respectfully submitted,

J. Wade Fowler

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Cooperative Program

A dream is only a dream until someone makes it come true. Bold Mission Thrust began as a dream for Southern Baptists in 1976-77 -- a bold dream of greater mission support and church growth. Many people are committed to making this dream a reality. In order for Bold Mission Thrust to succeed, many more people must adopt this commitment.

Two important questions must be asked and answered:

1. Do we have the will and commitment to persist in achieving what we have voted as Bold Mission Thrust goals?

2. Can we learn to live with our commitments?

Officically, Southern Baptists claimed their Bold Mission Thrust dream in 1977. Looking at the years ahead we have mixed reactions of excitement and anxiety. The introduction is over; in 1982 we must demonstrate our willingness to make our Bold Mission Thrust dreams come true through our Bold Giving.

Involved in this demonstration are several realities to be considered:

1. Churches need to be faithful in fulfilling their goals of mission giving and church growth;

2. Some churches may need to discover "special roles" in the bold endeavors they have adopted;

3. Church leaders must lead the people to adjust lifestyles and values in order to achieve Bold Mission Thrust;

4. We need a greater concern for people in order to bring about a new "turn around" in attitudes and records in church growth and church member development.

5. We have done very well in stewardship causes whenever we have been asked to give to convention causes. The Lottie Moon Offering, Annie Armstrong Offering, N. C. Mission Offering and the Cooperative Program; in fact all of our offerings have increased including our associational gifts.

   For the year 81-82 we are projecting a budget of $49,091, which is $4,825 under the amount we would have had if we had doubled the associational budget.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

During the year Dr. O. D. Martin, from the Baptist State Convention came and led a stewardship conference. Both pastors and lay leaders were invited to attend the meeting. There were approximately twenty-five in attendance at Trinity Baptist Church for this day meeting.

In order to reach more people we are planning an evening meeting in 1982 at Dale's Seafood for the pastors and chairmen of finances on April 26.

The dream is bold. The people are excited. The mission unmistakably stands before us.

WE RECOMMEND

1. That every church encourage its members to grow in the grace of giving, and in light of our Bold Mission Thrust goals, to give a greater percentage of their income through their church.
2. That every church accept the responsibility of teaching its members the principles of biblical stewardship and provide studies and activities throughout the year to accomplish this goal.
3. That every church seek to increase its budget income during the year by at least 15 percent.
4. That every church develop a unified budget and conduct a budget program that would emphasize the importance of each individual member's giving and involvement in the life and work of the church.
5. That every church elect and train a stewardship committee to assist the church in developing Christian stewards.
6. That the association assist the churches in accomplishing their task of developing Christian stewardship by providing information and/or a confernece explaining the stewardship resources available to the churches.

Respectfully submitted,

John Stephenson

RECOMMENDATION FROM PASTORS' CONFERENCE TO THE COLUMBUS BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Most of the people in our association are aware of the work done by Riegelwood Baptist Church and many others who accompanied them to Kingwood, West Virginia. What most people are not aware of is the impact the 66 really made on the area of Kingwood and its neighbor. Talk of the accomplishements have lingered on after their departure. It was reported to us that even people were talking about the fact that they had seen God's hand at work during the week of July 11-17 through that which was accomplished.

Because of the impact already made with just the drying in of the building, it is the belief of the pastors that we, as an association, ought to complete the first floor for immediate use. It is with this in mind that we make the following recommendation.

That the association set as one of its immediate goals the completion of this building, and assume the cost of materials needed. Since these funds have not been allocated we would suggest that these funds come as a love offering over and above our regular associational and church budgets.

We need a minimum of $5,000, but we believe that every member of the local church should be given an opportunity to give a dollar. This would make it possible to definitely do the job. Hopefully we will raise $10,000. This is just a dollar per member. Those who really love the Lord will want to give much more.

These funds would be mailed to the associational office as soon as they are collected and hopefully we would do it in less than two weeks. We would then suggest that as much of the money be in as possible by November 7. This would give adequate time for our coordinator to buy the materials here. Other associations have indicated they can purchase things here more reasonable.

Lastly, we would hope to leave on Monday and be back in time for those going to share their experience in the local church on Sunday.

Hopefully you will see fit to permit your pastor to go and participate in this work force. Approximately cost for travel, food, etc. will be $80 - $100.

The date that we are suggesting is November 16 - 21.

Lay persons are urged to go also. Especailly skilled electricians, plumbers, carpenters, etc.

CONTRIBUTIONS
OCTOBER 1, 1980 - SEPTEMBER 30, 1981

CHURCH	SPECIAL OFFERING	CONTRIBUTION
Antioch		175.00
Boardman		00.00
Bolton		425.00
Brunswick	50.00	667.00
Calvary		404.00
Cedar Grove		413.43
Cerro Gordo	50.00	1,316.58
Chadbourn	50.00	400.00
Cheerful Hope	50.00	960.34
Cherry Grove	50.00	1,384.87
China Grove	50.00	300.00
Clarendon	50.00	600.00
Corinth	50.00	
Delco	50.00	1,130.68
Evergreen	50.00	1,000.00
Fair Bluff	50.00	1,110.00
Faith		400.00
Forest Lawn		375.00
Friendly Chapel		275.00
Gapway		00.00
Hallsboro		1,000.00
Hinson's Cross Roads	50.00	125.00
Iron Hill		200.00
Lake Waccamaw	50.00	599.00
Lennon's Cross Roads		1,200.00
Macedonia		200.00
Mount Zion	50.00	120.00
Nakina		300.00
New Hope		3,115.37
Oak Dale		175.00
Peace		200.00
Piney Forest	50.00	300.00
Pleasant Hill		1,062.48
Pleasant Plains	50.00	300.00
Porter Swamp		1,315.46
Riegelwood	50.00	2,450.00
Smyrna	50.00	1,889.06
Sweet Home	50.00	525.00
Tabor City	50.00	2,600.04
Trinity	50.00	3,743.00
Union Chapel		50.00
Union Valley		600.00
Western Prong	50.00	1,380.00
Westside		480.00
White Marsh		425.00
Whiteville First	50.00	3,767.00
Whiteville West		267.00
Williamson's Cross Roads		500.00
North Whiteville		30.00
Grand Total - $ 41,405.31	$ 1,150.00	$ 40,255.31

FINANCIAL REPORT
OCTOBER 1, 1980 - SEPTEMBER 30, 1981

Receipts:		
Balance, October 1, 1980	$ 3,427.07	
Rec'd from Churches	41,405.31	
Rec'd for Interest	579.66	
Rec'd from Cert. of Deposit	2,500.00	
Rec'd from Dept. of Revenue	369.64	
Rec'd from WMC Supper	188.00	
Rec'd for camera	175.00	
Insurance Refund	74.00	
Rec'd for West Virginia project	510.00	
Rec'd for Resort Ministry	991.02	
Rec'd for NCMO	48.00	
Rec'd Anonymous	146.00	
Total Receipts		$ 50,413.70

Disbursements:	
Salary, Director of Missions	10,000.08
Salary, Office Assistant	8,320.00
Salary, Treasurer	50.00
Salary, Clerk	100.00
Secretary's Insurance	284.46
Convention Expense	800.00
Retirement	1,349.41
Travel	4,000.08
Housing	5,376.96
Insurance	1,798.92
Social Security for Secretary	546.59
Sunday School	175.56
Church Training	6.00
Brotherhood	21.87
W.M.U.	250.00
Evangelism	260.00
Visiting Speakers	181.56
Library	51.27
Seminary Extension	686.33
Key Leadership Conference	350.00
Youth	100.74
Missions	1,524.95
Literacy	852.15
Prison	61.62
Leadership Training	272.57
Pastors' Conference	79.71
West Virginia Project	510.00
Office Supplies	4,496.60
Postage	1,422.89
Printing	564.65

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Equipment	3,917.25	
Repairs on Building	24.68	
Insurance on Building	238.00	
Lights and Water	555.44	
Telephone	1,255.56	
Heating Fuel	964.08	
Contingency Fund	259.24	
Passbook Savings	.66	
Tapes	58.30	
Returned Checks service charge	16.00	
Total Disbursements		47,365.14
Balance, September 30, 1981		$ 3,048.56

Columbus Baptist Association
Financial Statement

Year-Ending Sept. 30, 1981

Current Assets:			
Cash On Hand (Checking Assount 10/1/81)		$ 3,048.56	
Savings Account 10/1/81	$16,311.88		
Interest Income from U. C. B.	1,194.36		
Transfer To Checking Account	(-4,070.68)		
Resort Ministry Savings 10/1/80	689.54		
Interest Income From Columbus National	27.86		
Deposits From Lake Ministry	273.62		
Accrued Interest From 6/26/81 to 10/1/81 13,390.15 C. D. at U. C. B.	520.53		
Accrued Interest From 7/17/81 to 10/1/81 1,036.40 C. D. At First Investers	18.82		
Total Savings		14,965.93	
Total Current Assets			$18.014.49
Fixed Assets:			
Office Building	21,982.87		
Furniture & Equipment	14,916.05		
Office Supplies	1,087.50		
Total Fixed Assets			37,986.42
Total Assets			56,000.91
Liabilities :			
News Reporter Co.	150.00		
NET WORTH	55,850.91		
Total Net Worth & Liabilities			$56,000.91

We had some money in two different Savings Account, The Resort Ministry and Regular Savings, both earning an Interest Rate of 5¼%. Neither had enough to purchase a certificate which would pay more interest. Therefore, we combined the two and purchased a $1,036.40, three month certificate, paying an Interest Rate of 14%. By applying the deposits and interest to The Resort Ministry Account it brings this account to $1,008.00, which today, 10/20/81, we purchased a three months C. D. from First Investers Savings And Loan in the name of Columbus Baptist Association, Resort Ministry paying an Interest Rate of 13.5%.

PROPERTY OF
COLUMBUS BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1 Secretary's Desk and Chair
2 IBM typewriters
1 stuffed chair
1 office desk
3 folding tables
24 metal chairs
1 large screen
1 metal storage cabinet
1 addressograph
1 mimeograph machine
3 filing cabinets
1 folder
1 electric stencil maker
1 fireproof vault
3 staple guns
2 perculators
1 tape recorder
1 carousel projector
1 tape duplicator
1 video machine
1 camera
2 office chairs
2 tape files
2 metal book cases
1 filmstrip file
1 coat rack
1 Bell and Howell projector
1 speaker
1 overhead projector
2 slide projectors
1 vaccum cleaner
1 paper cutter
2 hole punchers
1 light
1 record player
2 copiers
1 water cooler
1 office table
2 carousel trays
24 box file folders
17 book transfer files
1 color television set

PROPOSED BUDGET
1981 - 1982

		1980-81	1981-82
I.	**SALARIES**		
	Director of Missions	$ 10,000.00	10,500.00
	Office Assistant	8,320.00	8,542.00
	Treasurer	50.00	100.00
	Clerk	100.00	100.00
		18,470.00	19,242.00
II.	**ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE**		
	Convention Expense	800.00	1,200.00
	Retirement	1,500.00	2,200.00*
	Travel	4,000.00	4,337.00
	House and Utilities	5,377.00	5,477.00
	Hospitalization and Insurance	1,700.00	2,000.00*
	Secretary's Insurance	335.00	335.00
	Secretary's Social Security	440.00	465.00
	Travel for Office Assistant	00.00	400.00
		14,152.00	16,414.00
III.	**EDUCATIONAL AND PROMOTIONAL**		
	Sunday School and VBS	300.00	400.00
	Church Training	300.00	300.00
	Brotherhood	250.00	250.00
	W.M.U.	250.00	250.00
	Church Music	250.00	250.00
	Evangelism	500.00	500.00
	Visiting Speakers	400.00	400.00
	Library	125.00	125.00
	Seminary Extension	350.00	350.00
	Deacons' Retreat	200.00	400.00
	Key Leadership Conference	360.00	360.00
	Youth	300.00	200.00
	Missions	500.00	600.00
		4,085.00	4,385.00
IV.	**OFFICE OPERATIONS**		
	Office Supplies	3,500.00	3,500.00
	Printing	700.00	700.00
	Utilities	2,500.00	3,000.00
	Equipment	3,800.00	1,000.00
	Insurance	175.00	250.00
	Contingency Fund	600.00	600.00
		11,275.00	9,050.00
Grand Total		47,982.00	49,091.00

Respectively submitted,

Associational Finance Committee
Elmore Strickland, Chairman

Virginia Lane
Earl Ward
C. D. Branch
Crowell Hinson
John Stephenson

Brancie Stephens
E. L. Rabon
Herbert Swain
Edgar Hinson

*Due to the increase in hospitalization, the insurance and retirement have been thus marked. In the event enough has not been allowed for expected increases, the additional amount needed will come from the figure shown for retirement.

ANNUITY BOARD REPORT

"Nineteen hundred eighty has been a year of unprecedented growth and startling change," according to Dr. Darold H. Morgan, president of the Southern Baptist Convention's Annuity Board. This report speaks to "unprecedented growth", to "startling change" and to the challenge set before us all.

Growth is seen in a review of the statistical highlights of 1980. Key statistical highlights in 1980 included:

1. A 13th Check amounting to 10 percent of a year's benefit was mailed to annuitants who retired before 1980.

2. A total of $21,059,479 ($19,131,539) in retirement benefits was paid.*

3. Insurance benefits through the Board's church, agency, and seminary programs amounted to $15,955,965 ($13,067,338).*

4. Total assets held in trust at the close of the year equaled $806,518,757 ($667,521,987). This is a growth of $139,043,770.*

5. Premium income totaled $87,938,590 ($69,548,849), including contributions and relief receipts. A total of $42,121,138 ($35,348,300) was designated for the Fixed Fund, $3,620,501 ($2,332,869) was earmarked for the Balanced Fund and $11,063,513 ($12,121,729) went into Plan A. Insurance premiums totaled $24,863,894 ($14,291,178).*

6. At the close of 1980, the Board counted 20,527 (22,879) church and agency member accounts in Plan A, 47,701 (43,927) in the Fixed Fund, 6,033 (4,934) in the Balanced Fund and 3,376 (3,941) in the Variable Fund.*

* (Parentheses figures are those from 1979)

"Startling change" can be seen to some degree even in the above statistical highlights. But change is the reason why retirement planning is crucial for today's ministers and their families. The plans we make for those wonderful retirement years should begin as early as one' first pastorate. A consistent, careful program of financial planning which is updated as the years go by will be not only wise and prudent planning but will also be demonstrating that we are good stewards of the blessings of God upon our lives.

However, retirement planning which ignores the possibility that you may not live to see retirement is irresponsible. The Annuity Board has a variety of insurance programs to protect you and your family. Life insurance, and disability insurance are just as important as health insurance.

On September 24, 1981, Dr. Garland Hendricks represented the Board in an all day meeting in our association, and was of assistance to a number of

ANNUITY BOARD REPORT
(Continued)

pastors, and churches. After the first of next year, the association plans another visit. The Board is working up a new program of insurance coverage with the Aetna Life Insurance company. He will be here to share the new information and to assist all our pastors in making the correct adjustments.

Challenge is the urgent word of the report. First, to the churches who have no retirement and insurance coverage on their pastors. The men who serve you are God's men but He has entrusted their financial security to you. You need not pray about the matter. It is a mandate of scripture. But more than that, retirement planning and insurance to protect him and his family until retirement is a concrete way to say how much you appreciate him as a man of God who lives among you, as minister and servant to you and your community.

A second word is to churches who have your minister in annuity and insurance. Be wise counselors to your minister by insuring that there is adequate money for both insurance and retirement planning.

A third word is to pastors. Don't be slothful in the business of protecting your family. Give your family the security of knowing that if God calls you home to be with Him, that a home for them would be provided for through retirement planning and life insurance.

In conclusion, I wish to be of service to you. If the Annuity Board can assist in any matter, then feel free to call them.

Respectfully submitted,

C. Ray Yarborough, Jr.

BAPTIST FOUNDATION REPORT

During the past year, twenty-three new trust funds valued at $385,016. were established with the N. C. Baptist Foundation. Coupled with the additions to existing trusts, total new assets held for the various missions and institutions increased the value of trust assets by $453,877.

- Foreign Missions trust funds increased by approximately $26,000.
- Home Missions trusts increased by $8,000.
- Baptist Childrens Homes of North Carolina trusts increased by approximately $19,000.
- Southeastern Seminary by $12,250.
- Fruitland Bible Institute by $33,000.
- N. C. Baptist Homes by $1,500.
- Local church trust funds, including cemetery, scholarship and mission funds by $5,000.
- Cooperative Program by $7,000.
- Statewide Student Loan fund by $115,000.

The Directors of the Foundation made an investment decision in 1978 to increase the yield to the charitable beneficiaries of trust income. Over a two year period investments moved toward high quality selective bonds to accomplish this goal. The income of yield increased steadily with the rate on December 30, 1980 averaging 10.3%. Market Value of all assets on December 30, 1980 were $4,586,215.12. The bond portion of the investment port-folio reflected the high interest market at the end of the year with market values being depressed below inventory value.

Thirty-eight percent of the market value of all assets held by the Foundation were made as gifts by persons desiring to receive income for the remainder of their lifetime and at death have the trust funds pay income to missions or Baptist institutions. Foundation personnel are available to assist any member of a Baptist Church in North Carolina to utilize this or other plans of giving to provide a perpetual personal support for sharing the message of Christ - even beyond one's lifetime.

More families are utilizing the memorial gifts as a means of providing mission support on a continuing basis. Individual trust accounts are established with only the income being distributed in the name of the deceased family member. Generally the mission cause named to receive the income was loved and supported during the lifetime of the family member.

Private and confidential conferences are scheduled by Foundation staff members with individuals desiring to seek direction in estate planning and giving.

Respectfully submitted,

James B. McQuere

BAPTIST HOMES REPORT

As we look back over the past thirty years of ministry to our Baptist Homes, it is a real inspiration to see where we have been and to meditate on the many blessings that God has so richly bestowed upon us. He has brought us from one Home in 1951 to a total of six Homes, an apartment complex, and a skilled nursing unit; from one resident to a total capacity for 300 persons in 1981. These have been good years, and God has used N. C. Baptists to bring this special ministry to older people a long way. Where we go from here is certainly, as always, in the hands of the Lord, but depends largely on where North Carolina Baptists want to go.

Quite frankly, we are at a standstill. Crippling inflation has caught up with us and is eating into the very vitals of our existence. We are still giving the same high quality of Christian care to each of the residents in the six Homes, Nursing Care Unit, and the apartment complex. It is a struggle and a juggle between income and expenditures.

Building plans for a desperately needed 70-bed addition to our current Nursing Care Unit and the Hayes Home have been held up by regularatory red tape for years. Now that the state health laws have been altered to permit the building of these beds, it doesn't appear that we could wisely borrow the money at the current interest rates.

Thought 1980 gifts through our Cooperative Program and the North Carolina Missions Offering are a little more than $550,000.00 (18% of all income), these gifts are not commendurate with our current population growth and the ministry support needs of the Homes.

Two things are apparent. One, Baptists must be informed of our needs and do all possible to increase their gifts accordingly through the regular channels -- the Cooperative Program and the North Carolina Missions Offering. Two, North Carolina Baptists must help us find ways of raising money for development and expansion to meet the needs of current residents and the needs of growing numbers of older adults.

The General Board of the Baptist State Convention had joined us in our concerns and has appointed a Special Study Committee to take a serious and close look at the financial needs of our Baptist Homes.

We will continue to trust our Heavenly Father for His blessings upon the Homes' vital ministry to older adults. We will keep faith with Him and with N. C. Baptists and strive to give the highest quality care to each resident of the North Carolina Baptist Homes. We will believe that our future is as bright as the promises of God Himself and as sure as the love and devotion of North Carolina Baptists.

Respectfully submitted,

Phil Moore

BIBLICAL RECORDER REPORT

Again this past year, the BIBLICAL RECORDER has reminded us all of the value of good church-pastor relations. This is just one of many subjects the RECORDER seeks to cover for North Carolina Baptists.

The editor believes strongly in the local church as well as the ministry and work of the pastor. As all of us know, nothing can take the place of a good church and a good pastor.

And yet, we also know that there are those in our midst who do not believe in this as much as they should. The RECORDER is a constant reminder to us that a bedrock of Baptist life is a strong local church served by a dedicated pastor.

The RECORDER also challenges us in many other ways. For example, it reported that there was a net gain of only 21 new churches in our convention in the past 10 years. This shocked many people, especially in view of the number of new churches organized in the last 50 years and in the population growth of our state in the last decade.

The RECORDER was happy to report that the Southern Baptist Convention in Los Angeles was a good one. Those unable to attend were given an accurate and complete picture of what happened there -- a front row seat, as it were, for only 7¢ (cost of one RECORDER).

When people know the truth -- and truth must be spoken in love -- we have a better convention, better churches, better associations and better individual Christians. The RECORDER is that instrument of communication that keeps us closer together as Baptists.

If you are not receiving the RECORDER, you are missing something vital to your Christian life. The cost is still much less than one-helf the price of a first class stamp. Surely, every church and every individual can afford that much.

Respectfully submitted,

Paul Morrow

CHILDREN'S HOMES REPORT

The ministry of the Baptist Children's Homes in Southeastern North Carolina continues to grow and develop. This is made possible by the continuing support of many Christian friends. Vital to the work of the Homes is financial support through special gifts, the North Carolina Missions Offering and income through the Cooperative Program.

The Family Services Center office, serving the ten Southeastern counties of North Carolina, is located on the Odum Home campus, Pembroke, North Carolina. Through this office all services of our statewide Institution are made available to those who need assistance from the Homes.

Construction has been completed on the Jimmy Latta-Harnett County Cottage and the new cottage is expected to begin serving children by early fall. The addition of the new cottage will increase the Odum Home capacity to thirty-four children. We thank God for His leading in supplying this need on the Odum Home campus.

Programs located in the Southeastern area include: group care at Odum Home, emergency care at Supply, North Carolina, a network of foster homes, mother's aid, social work and counseling services. Children and their families from Southeastern North Carolina are usually served through these programs.

Good things are taking place in our Baptist Children's Homes family across the State. Six Family Services Centers have been opened with three others in the planning stages. Children are being provided temporary care in seven Emergency Care Homes. Therapeutic camping for boys is being expanded at Cameron Home near Cass. The Child Development Center in Thomasville continues to offer progressive demonstration preschool care as a model for North Carolina Baptist churches. The Family Resource Center located in Thomasville is piloting a concept of continuing education for people across the State who are in the best position to assist families through a concept of preventive care.

Melvin Brown and members of the staff of the Homes in Southeastern North Carolina are leading the program in a very fine way. In the words of Paul we can say "We are laborers together with God" (I Corinthians 3:9). Thank Him for this relationship.

Respectfully submitted,

Boyd Thompson

CHRISTIAN LIFE COMMISSION REPORT

The moral climate in America challenges all Christians to apply the gospel to the issues of our day. The Christian Life and Public Affairs Council of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina has been busy about the task of applied Christianity. This Council of our North Carolina Convention has worked handily with the Christian Life Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention.

The Christian Life Commission has dealt with varied moral concerns such as aging, alcohol, the Lord's Day, peace, public policy, separation of church and state, and world hunger. The Commission also prepared support materials for Southern Baptists' observation of Race Relations Sunday, Christian Citizenship Sunday, and World Hunger Day.

The Christian Life and Public Affairs Council is sponsoring the following important events and can be attended by any in our association:

1. Marriage Enrichment Workshop for clergy couples, January 11-13, 1982, Caraway Conference Center.

2. Christian Life Conference (area wide) will be held October 3-5, 1982.

3. Senior Adult Conference, May 17-19, 1982, Caraway Conference Center.

4. Senior Adult Retreat, October 11-13, 1982, Caraway Conference Center.

Respectfully submitted,

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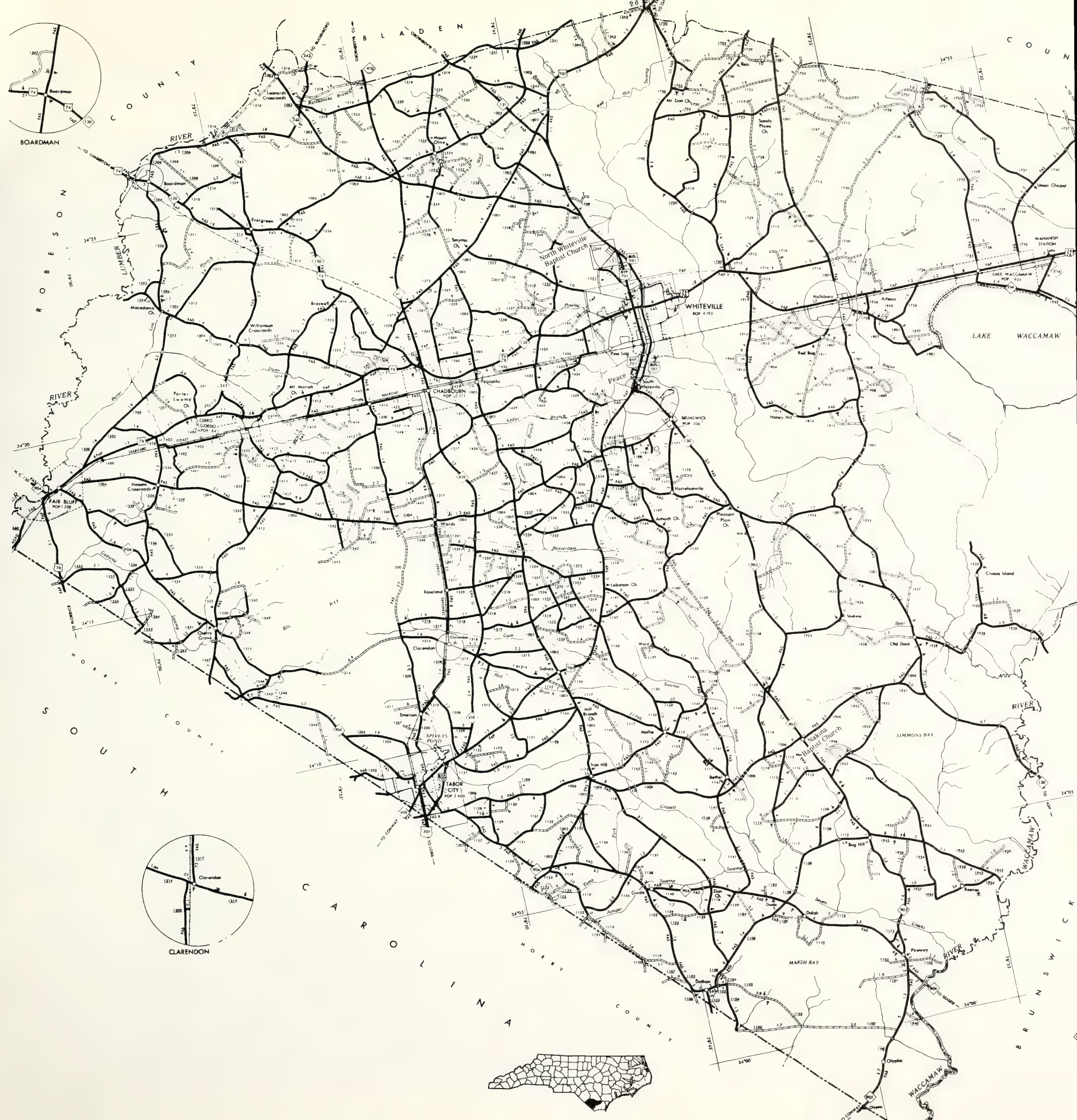
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BRUNSWICK
SOUTH CAROLINA
HORRY COUNTY
LUMBER RIVER
WACCAMAW RIVER
LAKE WACCAMAW
WHITEVILLE POP 4 195
CHADBOURN POP 2 213
TABOR CITY POP 2 400
FAIR BLUFF POP 1 309
CERRO GORDO POP 84
BRUNSWICK POP 706
LAKE WACCAMAW POP 924
South Whiteville
North Whiteville Baptist Church
Nakina Baptist Church
Boardman
Evergreen
Leonards Crossroads
Mount Olive Ch.
Smyrna Ch.
Macedonia
Williamson Crossroads
Braswell
Mt Moriah
Grists
Porter Swamp Ch.
Hinsons Crossroads
Peacocks
Pine Log
Hallsboro
Artesia
Red Bug
Honey Hill
Mt Zion Ch.
Rico
Sandy Plains Ch.
Union Chapel
Wananish Station
Hope
Harrelsonville
Pleasant Plain Ch.
Armoch Ch.
Wards
Roseland
Lebanon Ch.
Clarendon
Cherry Grove
Sidney
Emerson
Spiveys Pond
Mill Branch Ch.
Iron Hill
Bethel
Mollie
Guide
Zion Ch.
Dulah
Bug Hill
Reeves
Old Dock
Crusoe Island
Simmons Bay
Marsh Bay
Dothan
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Year	Place	Moderator	Clerk	Sermon
1805	Saddle Tree	Abraham Baker	Samuel Buxton	
1806	Bear Marsh	Abraham Baker	Samuel Buxton	Job Goodman
1807	Seven Miles	Francis Oliver	Samuel Buxton	Job Thigpen
1808	Moore's Creek	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	Job Thigpen
1809	Chapel Run	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	Ezekiel Bryant
1810	Cape Fear	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	
1811	Nahungo	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	Job Goodman
1812	Ashpole	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	J. A. Ronaldson
1813	Thunder Swamp	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	William Wells
1814	Muddy Creek	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	Job Goodman
1815	Beulah	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	
1916	Bultail	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	Jacob Williams
1817	Ashpole	Job Goodman	Samuel Buxton	Issac Etheridge
1818	Limestone	Job Goodman	Allen Morris	David Thames
1819	Thunder Swamp	Job Goodman	Allen Morris	Job Goodman
1820	Nahungo	Job Goodman	Allen Morris	John Gornto
1821	Riley's Creek	Job Goodman	Allen Morris	Job Goodman
1822	Southwest	Job Goodman	Allen Morris	S. Reaves
1823	Bultail	Geroge Fennel	A. Morris	A. Morris
1824	Cedar Creek	George Fennel	A. Morris	
1825	Bear Marsh	Geroge Fennel	A. Morris	Jesse Rogers
1826	Saddle Tree	Job Goodman	A. Morris	A. Morris
1827	Ashpole	Job Goodman	Jas. McDaniel	
1828	Porter Swamp	Job Goodman	Jas. McDaniel	
1829	Saw Mill	Job Goodman	Jas. McDaniel	
1830	Saddle Tree	Job Goodman	Jas. McDaniel	
1831	Ashpole	Job Goodman	L. R. Simmons	
1832	Cross Roads	Solomon Reaves	L. R. Simmons	
1833	Bear Swamp	Chas. McAlister	Jas. McDaniel	
1834	Cape Fear	Chas. McAlister	Jas. McDaniel	
1835	Ebenezer	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	Robt. McNabb
1836	Fair Bluff	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	William Ayers
1837	Ashpole	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	Adel King

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1838	Bear Swamp	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	David Thames
1839	Pleasant Grove	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	Elias Davis
1840	Cross Roads	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	J. F. McCall
1841	Seven Creeks	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	H. Lennon
1842	Beaver Dam	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	William Ayers
1843	Macedonia	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	J. C. Averitte
1844	Ashpole	Samuel Mims	Haynes Lennon	Furney Prevatt
1845	Bear Swamp		Haynes Lennon	Adel King
1846	Porter Swamp	John Smith	Haynes Lennon	F. Prevatt
1847	Cape Fear	John Smith	Haynes Lennon	W. Ayers
1848	Western Prong	John Smith	Haynes Lennon	Elias Davis
1849	Big Branch	John Smith	R. McDaniel	Z. Bullock
1850	Bear Swamp	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	Wm. Ayers
1851	Cedar Creek	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	Elias Davis
1852	Back Swamp	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	F. Prevatt
1853	White Marsh	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	G. W. Hill
1854	Spr. Branch (S.C.)	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	J. H. Cobb
1855	Big Branch	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	H. Lennon
1856	Cape Fear	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	F. Prevatt
1857	Cross Roads	Haynes Lennon	Ben Freeman	H. Lennon
1858	Ashpole	Haynes Lennon	Ben Freeman	D. B. Ayers
1859	Western Prong	Haynes Lennon	Ben Freeman	G. W. Hill
1860	Porter Swamp	Haynes Lennon	Ben Freeman	
1861	Antioch	Haynes Lennon	Ben Freeman	
1862	Pleasant Grove	Haynes Lennon	G. W. Hill	
1863	Cross Roads	Haynes Lennon	G. W. Hill	D. N. Gore
1864	Back Swamp	Furney Prevatt	G. W. Hill	R. W. Norton
1865	Bear Swamp (S.C.)	D. B. Ayers	G. W. Hill	R. W. Norton
1866	Ashpole	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	G. W. Hill
1867	Pleasant Hill	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	A. R. Pittman
1868	Mount Zion	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	E. D. Johnson
1869	Lumberton	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	D. N. Gore
1870	Pleasant Hill	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	H. Lennon
1871	Porter Swamp	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	J. W. Dickson
1872	Western Prong	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	A. R. Pittman

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1873	Big Branch	H. Lennon	D. K. Bennett	D. K. Bennett
1874	Back Swamp	H. Lennon	D. K. Bennett	J. W. Dickson
1875	Bear Swamp (S.C.)	H. Lennon	D. K. Bennett	A. R. Pittman
1876	Cross Roads	H. Lennon	D. K. Bennett	D. J. Rau
1877	Mount Eilam	H. Lennon	D. K. Bennett	J. B. Richardson
1878	White Marsh	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	J. W. Dickson
1879	Ashpole	H. W. Dickson	G. W. Hill	T. F. Pritchard
1880	Western Prong	Haynes Lennon	G. W. Hill	J. F. McMillan
1881	Piney Grove (S.C.)	Haynes Lennon	G. W. Hill	J. W. Dickson
1882	Hickory Grove	Haynes Lennon	G. W. Hill	G. McManaway
1883	Mount Zion	E. W. Wooten	J. F. McMillan	
1884	Piney Forest	J. W. Dickson	C. D. Frink	D. J. Day
1885	Bogue Chapel	J. W. Dickson	G. W. Hill	J. F. McMillan
1886	Abottsburg	E. W. Wooten	G. W. Hill	A. D. Cohen
1887	Mount Pisgah	E. W. Wooten	G. W. Hill	E. W. Wooten
1888	Porter Swamp	E. W. Wooten	S. J. Porter	G. W. Hill
1889	Grittins Cr. Roads	E. W. Wooten	A. H. Porter	E. D. Johnson
1890	White Marsh	E. W. Wooten	A. H. Porter	F. F. Wooten
1891	Mount Pisgah	E. W. Wooten	A. H. Porter	A. H. Porter
1892	Shady Grove	E. W. Wooten	A. H. Porter	A. H. Porter
1893	Lebanon	E. W. Wooten	A. H. Porter	A. H. Porter
1894	Western Prong	G. W. Hill	D. H. Cook	G. W. Hill
1895	Shallotte	A. C. Meares	Isaac Jenrette	E. W. Wooten
1896	Mount Sinai	A. C. Meares	Isaac Jenrette	W. S. Ballard
1897	Pleasant Plains	A. C. Meares	Isaac Jenrette	J. A. Mintz
1898	Mount Zion	E. W. Wooten	H. Wyche	J. J. Adams
1899	Bogue Chapel	J. L. Memory	H. Wyche	J. G. Blalock
1900	Spring Branch	J. L. Memory	C. F. Ramsbottom	A. H. Porter
1901	Smyrna	J. L. Memory	A. H. Porter	J. J. Payseur
1902	Pleasant Plains	W. S. Ballard	A. H. Porter	J. G. Blalock
1903	Mount Zion	W. S. Bllard	A. M. Kelly	F. T. Wooten
1904	Cross Roads	W. S. Ballard	A. M. Kelly	F. T. Wooten
1905	Chadbourn	W. S. Balllard	J. H. Williamson	K. G. Blalock
1906	Livingston Chapel	W. S. Ballard	J. H. Williamson	A. H. Porter

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1907	Sweet Home	W. S. Ballard	J. H. Williamson	W. S. Ballard
1908	Bogue Chapel	J. R. Williamson	F. L. Jernigan	F. T. Wooten
1909	Western Prong	J. R. Williamson	A. M. Kelly	S. B. Wilson
1910	Mount Tabor	J. R. Williamson	A. M. Kelly	A. H. Porter
1911	China Grove	W. C. Graham	J. J. Hendren	C. C. Smith
1912	Clarkton	J. R. Williamson	J. J. Hendren	J. M. Page
1913	New Hope	J. R. Williamson	A. M. Kelly	J. H. Poteet
1914	Cheerful Hope	J. R. Williamson	A. M. Kelly	F. T. Wooten
1915	Cerro Gordo	J. R. Williamson	J. J. Hendren	D. P. Bridges
1916	Fair Bluff	J. R. Williamson	J. J. Hendren	C. J. Thompson
1917	Bogue Chapel	R. D. Covington	J. J. Hendren	W. P. Campbell
1918	Whiteville	R. D. Covington	J. J. Hendren	
1919	Livingston Chapel	R. D. Covington	J. J. Hendren	I. T. Newton
1920	Porter Swamp	A. C. Chaffin	J. J. Hendren	A. C. Chaffin
1921	Macedonia	A. C. Chaffin	J. J. Hendren	W. Y. Quisenbery
1922	Mount Tabor	F. T. Wooten	W. A. Coleman	Hoyle Love
1923	Mount Zion	F. T. Wooten	I. T. Newton	W. B. Avery
1924	Bolton	F. T. Wooten	I. T. Newton	G. Van Stephens
1925	Cherry Grove	F. T. Wooten	J. J. Hendren	R. H. Satterfield
1926	Corinth	F. T. Wooten	J. J. Hendren	J. L. Martin
1927	Whiteville	F. T. Wooten	J. J. Hendren	F. T. Wooten
1928	Sweet Home	F. T. Wooten	Neil Thompson	B. P. Roach
1929	Hinson's Cross Rds.	F. T. Wooten	Neil Thompson	C. E. Maddrey
1930	New Hope	I. T. Newton	Neil Thompson	C. M. Pegram
1931	Fair Bluff	I. T. Newton	Neil Thompson	S. N. Lamb
1932	Western Prong	I. T. Newton	Neil Thompson	W. A. Coleman
1933	Hallsboro	I. T. Newton	Neil Thompson	C. V. Hooks
1934	Livingston Chapel	I. T. Newton	C. R. Hinton	R. J. Rasberry
1935	Cherry Grove	I. T. Newton	C. R. Hinton	C. R. Hinton
1936	Cerro Gordo	I. T. Newton	C. R. Hinton	T. S. Lawrence
1937	Mount Tabor	S. N. Lamb	R. B. Mallard	E. N. Johnson
1938	Pleasant Plains	S. N. Lamb	R. B. Mallard	D. G. Myers
1939	Whiteville	S. N. Lamb	R. B. Mallard	I. T. Newton
1940	Hallsboro	S. N. Lamb	R. B. Mallard	E. N. Johnson
1941	Chadbourn	S. N. Lamb	R. B. Rasberry	Winfrey Davis

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1942	Evergreen	Winfrey Davis	R. B. Rasberry	G. Carl Lewis
1943	Clarendon	Winfrey Davis	R. B. Rasberry	G. M. Singletary
1944	Lennon's Crosss Rds.	Winfrey Davis	R. B. Rasberry	J. Byron Dosher
1945	Livingston Chapel	Winfrey Davis	R. B. Rasberry	E. Evans Unrich
1946	Hinson's Cross Rds.	Winfrey Davis	R. B. Rasberry	A. C. Preavatt
1947	Hallsboro	Winfrey Davis	E. Evans Unrich	B. G. Bass
1948	Evergreen	W. K. Beasley	¼? C? Grantt	P. C. Melton
1949	Oakdale, Smyrna	S. W. Jolly	P. C. Grantt	R. C. Foster
1950	Porter Swamp, Cherry Grove	S. W. Jolly	P. C. Grantt	A. P. Stephens
1951	Mt. Tabor, New Hope, Fair Bluff	S. W. Jolly	P. C. Grantt	E. W. Class
1952	Western Prong, Whiteville, New Hope	R. C. Foster	Stanley Howard	
1953	Smyrna, Chadbourn, Pleasant Plains	Donald Keyser	B. G. Bass	C. E. Brisson
1954	Oak Dale, White Marsh, Chadbourn	Donald Keyser	P. C. Grantt	I. V. Jones
1955	New Hope, Sweet Home, Iron Hill	P. C. Grantt	Ronald E. Rice	S. W. Jolly
1956	Tabor City, Winterville, Hallsboro	P. C. Grantt	Ronald E. Rice	Paul O. Batson, Jr.
1957	Western Prong, Piney Forest, Chadbourn	Bill Hooks	Clyde Watson	Ray Harris
1958	Whiteville, Cerro Gordo, Chadbourn	Wyatt Coley	Clyde Watson	S. M. Dorton
1959	Fair Bluff, Cherry Grove, Cerro Gordo	Wyatt Coley	Clyde Watson	Oscar Holland
1960	Evergreen, Waccamaw	S. W. Jolly	Clyde Watson	Eugene Walter
1961	Porter Swamp, Trinity	Billy Hooks	Claude Huggins	D. M. Spell
1962	Tabor City, West Whiteville	Billy Hooks	Claude Huggins	Leo Hawkins James H. Johnson
1963	New Hope, Riegelwood	J. B. Jones	Arch Cree	Leon Thomas
1964	Hallsboro, Western Prong	J. B. Jones	Arch Cree	E. W. Class
1965	Chadbourn, White Marsh	Maurice Gilliam	Arch Cree	Francis Chesson
1966	Lennon's Cross Rds., Macedonia	Maurice Gilliam	Arch Cree	Wayne Tyner
1967	Brunswick, Hinson's Cross Rds.	Ben Nesmith, III	J. William Ross	Charles Bullock
1968	Waccamaw, West Whiteville	Ben Nesmith, III	J. William Ross	Grady Cline
1969	Trinity, Fair Bluff	Grady Cline	J. William Ross	William J. Furr
1970	Cherry Grove Smyrna	H. B. Whitley	H. E. Langford	D. T. Griffin Russell Cherry
1971	Cedar Grove, Williamson's Cross Roads	H. B. Whitley	Mrs. J. C. Todd	Thomas H. Lambert
1972	Cerro Gordo	C. H. Pinner	Mrs. Cecil Gurkin	David J. Solomon

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1973	Sweet Home, Forest Lawn	C. H. Pinner	Mrs. Madge Langford	S. C. Davis
1974	Chadbourn, Western Prong	Frank Neville	Mrs. Madge Langford	Hughet Godwin
1975	Tabor City, Evergreen	Frank Neville	R. F. Whitley	Gwen McCormick
1976	Porter Swamp, Riegelwood	Tom Ray	R. F. Whitley	Claire Baker
1977	Whiteville First, Oak Dale	Tom Ray	Mrs. Wanda Horton	Ray Justice
1978	Bolton, Macedonia	Henry Foster	Ms. Wanda Horton	Roy Parker
1979	Hallsboro, White Marsh	Henry Foster	Ms. Wanda Horton	Thad Prevatte
1980	Lennon's Cross Roads			
	Hinson's Cross Roads	Ed Worley	Ms. Wanda Horton	R. E. Carter
1981	New Hope, Antioch	Ed Worley	Ms. Wanda Horton	Sidney Britt

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Antioch	Vernon Williamson, Route 3, Box 201, Chadbourn	Col.	1918	1		X	8	11	14	182	39	221	0	2	0	266,043	54,990
Boardman	David Oldham, Route 3, Box 344, Dillon, S. C. 29536	Col.	1907														
Bolton	Hughet Godwin, Route 1, Box 13, Bolton	Col.	1915	2		X	3	0	2	96	17	113	0	0	0	0	0
Brunswick	Ralph Gore, Route 4, Box 173-A, Whiteville	Col.	1952	2	X		9	3	22	130	10	140	0	0	0	150,000	0
Calvary	S. C. Davis, 209 South Lee Street, Whiteville	Col.	1951	4	X		9	7	10	299	33	332	0	1	0	30,000	43,791
Cedar Grove	Robert McNair, Route 1, Box 130, Evergreen	Col.	1869	1		X	15	4	6	262	87	349	0	0	26,000	60,000	0
Cerro Gordo	Herman Goodin, P. O. Box 159, Cerro Gordo	Col.	1906	2	X		4	3	10	222	97	319	0	2	75,000	325,000	0
Chadbourn		Col.	1890	3		X	1	3	13	333	139	472	0	2	50,000	1,400,000	0
Cheerful Hope	Tom Walton, Route 1, Box 148-C, Winnabow 28479	Col.	1872	1	X		0	2	5	75	10	85	0	2	0	35,000	0
Cherry Grove	Merlin Boone, Route 1, Box 264, Cerro Gordo	Col.	1810	1	X		8	5	8	326	118	444	1	0	60,000	49,000	7,500
China Grove		Col.	1888	1	X		0	0	5	159	31	190	0	0	0	200,000	0
Clarendon	R. E. Carter, P. O. Box 275, Bladenboro	Col.	1906	1		X	3	1	9	112	105	217	0	5	0	250,000	0
Corinth	J. Wade Fowler, 303 Pireway Road, Tabor City	Col.	1880	1	X		0	0	1	90	23	113	0	0	30,000	80,000	0
Delco	George N. Knight, P. O. Box 199, Delco	Col.	1910	2	X		3	7	6	156	34	190	1	1	75,000	200,000	0
Evergreen	Grover Vaughan, P. O. Box 146, Evergreen	Col.	1879	2			4	4	4	202	62	264	0	0	51,036	441,036	0
Fair Bluff	Ray Lundy, P. O. Box 435, Fair Bluff	Col.	1883				7	5	9	313	148	461	0	0	70,000	318,000	0
Faith	David Anderson, Route 5, Box 61, Whiteville	Col.	1971	1	X		2	3	0	67	10	77	0	0	40,000	100,000	11,170
Forest Lawn	Bervin Ferguson, P. O. Box 693, Tabor City	Col.	1955	1		X	6	7	11	166	39	205	4	1	0	205,000	0
Friendly Chapel	Elbert Waddell, 1205 Pinkney Street, Whiteville	Col.	1970	1	X		10	3	48	75	0	75	0	0	0	50,000	7,000
Gapway	Drew Hardee, Route 5, Box 168, Loris, S. C. 29569	Col.	1915	1	X		20	0	2	208	0	208	0	0	0	100,000	0
Hallsboro	Maurice Gilliam, P. O. Box 86, Hallsboro	Col.	1876	2		X	0	2	11	292	172	464	0	1	27,000	104,000	0
Hinson's Cross Roads	Brancie Stephens, Route 1, Box 42-A, Fair Bluff	Col.	1884	1	X		1	2	9	218	66	284	0	0	50,000	350,000	0
Iron Hill	J. Earl Lanier, Route 1, Box 250-B, Clarendon	Col.	1828	1		X	3	6	7	118	58	176	0	0	0	100,000	0
Lake Waccamaw		Col.	1871	3		X	0	0	16	240	100	340	0	1	60,000	360,000	0
Lennon's Cross Roads	Phillip Moore, Route 1, Box 361, Evergreen	Col.	1797	1		X	7	8	8	220	43	262	0	0	65,000	660,000	0

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Macedonia	Vernon Williamson, Route 3, Box 201, Chadbourn	Col.	1806	1	X		12	0	6	324	0	324	0	0	0	175,000	0
Mount Zion	Sidney Britt, Route 1, Box 396, Bladenboro	Col.	1837	1	X		0	4	3	135	41	176	0	1	30,000	130,000	0
Nakina	Guy FormyDuval, Route 1, Box 68, Nakina	Col.	1977	1		X	8	12	1	66	0	66	0	0	0	24,114	0
New Hope	Ray Yarborough, Route 5, Box 37AB, Whiteville	Col.	1874	1	X		1	7	17	351	195	546	0	0	50,000	425,000	159,458
Oak Dale	Robert Duncan, P. O. Box 23, Brunswick	Col.	1883	1		X	6	1	3	109	104	213	1	0	0	85,000	0
Peace	Paul Morrow, Route 3, Box D-62, Whiteville	Col.	1978	1	X		3	4	3	81	0	81	0	0	0	50,000	9,116
Piney Forest	Brantley Stevens, Route 3, Box 249, Chadbourn	Col.	1869	1	X		0	0	5	92	39	131	0	1	50,000	100,000	0
Pleasant Hill	Jim Baldwin, Route 5, Box 60, Whiteville	Col.	1847	1	X		0	5	5	177	89	266	0	0	25,000	225,000	0
Pleasant Plains		Col.	1855	1	X		5	2	10	171	9	180	0	1	40,000	250,000	0
Porter Swamp	Bill Evans, P. O. Box 98, Cerro Gordo	Col.	1826	1	X		0	6	6	177	88	265	0	0	50,000	300,000	0
Riegelwood	Larry Knowles, P. O. Box 292, Riegelwood	Col.	1952	3	X		13	17	11	290	80	370	2	0	55,000	460,000	0
Smyrna		Col.	1886	1	X		2	3	7	212	60	272	0	1	50,000	300,000	0
Sweet Home	Richard Poynor, Route 1, Box 131-A, Clarendon	Col.	1850	1	X		4	5	7	191	93	284	0	0	0	530,000	31,000
Tabor City	Daniel Deaton, 10 Nesmith Street, Tabor City	Col.	1840	4	X		12	30	26	542	308	850	3	2	90,000	1,198,000	0
Trinity	Ray Justice, 310 Vine Street, Whiteville	Col.	1955	4	X		22	48	20	753	102	855	8	3	0	700,000	12,100
Union Chapel	Wilbur Milligan, Route 5, Box 163, Loris, S. C. 29569	Col.	1900	1	X		1	4	0	91	29	120	0	0	0	45,000	2,660
Union Valley	George Berry, Route 5, Box 424-A, Whiteville	Col.	1933	1	X		8	7	3	82	111	194	0	0	30,000	75,000	0
Western Prong	John Stephenson, Route 1, Box 97, Whiteville	Col.	1843	1	X		7	7	15	359	88	447	0	1	50,000	500,000	9,000
Westside	Elmore Strickland, Route 1, Box 235, Cerro Gordo	Col.	1970	4	X		10	9	3	125	25	150	0	0	55,000	170,000	0
White Marsh	Leon Lancaster, Route 2, Box 259-A, Whiteville	Col.	1765	1		X	2	7	8	219	56	275	0	2	65,000	150,000	0
Whiteville First	Roy Walker, 412 North Madison Street, Whiteville	Col.	1852	7	X		15	17	47	617	267	884	0	4	50,000	1,500,000	0
Whiteville West	J. P. Williams, Route 6, Box 133, Whiteville	Col.	1959	4		X	2	4	8	47	129	176	0	1	0	100,000	0
Williamson's Cross Roads	J. P. Williams, Route 6, Box 133, Whiteville	Col.	1898	1			8	3	1	162	35	215	0	0	0	150,000	0
North Whiteville	Thomas Fairfax, Route 1, Box 47, Cerro Gordo	Col.	1979	1	X		0	0	2	12	4	16	0	0	0	1,900	0

ABLE 6 SUNDAY SCHOOL

YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1981
(Month & Day)

sociation Columbus

State North Carolina

Associational Sunday School Director Richard Poynor

Address Route 1, Box 131-A City Clarendon State N. C. Zip 28472

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	54 Cradle Roll enrolment (Birth to 2 years)	55 Preschool enrolment (Birth through 5 years)	56 Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	57 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	58 Young Adult enrolment—Single (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)	59 Young Adult enrolment—married (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)	60 Adult enrolment (30-59 years)	61 Senior Adult enrolment (60 and over)	62 Adults Away enrolment	63 Homebound enrolment	64 General officers enrolment	65 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	66 Total ongoing Sunday School enrolment	67 Average weekly Sunday School attendance	68 Number of Bible Study groups	69 Bible Study groups enrolment	70 Total enrolled in Bible Study	71 Church V. B. S. enrolment	72 Mission V. B. S. enrolment	73 Total V. B. S. enrolment
Antioch	Willard White, Route 4, Box 354, Whiteville	0	15	25	22	5	28	47	37	0	0	0	0	179	95	0	0	179	72	0	72
Boardman																					
Bolton	Odell McKeithan, Route 1, Box 290, Bolton	0	14	10	16	0	19	22	22	0	0	4	0	107	68	0	0	107	48	0	48
Brunswick	Wayne Stanley, Route 1, Box 136-A, Hallsboro	2	2	16	12	5	14	35	14	2	0	2	0	104	66	0	0	104	28	0	28
Calvary	Kenny McPherson, Route 5, Box 399, Whiteville	4	7	3	10	30	32	42	7	0	0	2	0	137	74	1	0	137	55	0	55
Cedar Grove	Jerry Green, Route 1, Cerro Gordo	4	10	16	25	8	10	22	27	0	0	3	0	125	101	0	0	125	125	0	125
Cerro Gordo	C. W. Greene, P. O. Box 93, Cerro Gordo	0	38	17	29	27	22	48	34	0	0	3	0	218	106	0	0	218	122	0	122
Chadbourn	Jimmy Ferguson, 703 E. Second Ave., Chadbourn	0	15	34	19	3	0	84	24	0	25	8	0	187	102	0	0	0	72	0	72
Cheerful Hope	Irvin Brown, Route 1, Box 251, Bolton	0	4	15	7	6	14	22	0	0	0	1	0	69	48	0	0	69	64	0	64
Cherry Grove	Farley Strickland, Route 2, Box 55-B, Tabor City	0	30	32	17	12	14	59	54	0	0	8	0	226	184	5	0	226	118	0	118
China Grove	Benny Blackmon, Route 2, Chadbourn	0	25	20	13	0	6	36	10	0	0	0	0	110	82	0	0	0	82	0	82
Clarendon	James R. Hewett, P. O. Box 218, Tabor City	0	6	20	27	4	4	41	20	0	0	2	0	124	75	0	0	124	55	0	55
Corinth	Tommy Bullard, Route 3, Chadbourn	0	5	6	4	4	0	18	27	0	0	1	0	65	41	0	0	65	0	0	0
Delco	Jim Wyche, Route 1, Box 105, Delco	0	19	28	24	8	27	32	27	0	0	0	0	165	88	0	0	0	73	0	73
Evergreen	James Floyd, P. O. Box 164, Evergreen	0	14	20	13	11	14	75	32	11	7	5	0	202	98	0	0	202	0	0	0
Fair Bluff	Burnette Coleman, P. O. Box 457, Fair Bluff	6	31	21	23	16	17	70	35	0	0	6	0	226	135	0	0	0	85	0	85
Faith	James Leary, Route 5, Box 62, Whiteville	2	4	11	7	0	0	18	4	0	0	2	0	48	27	0	0	0	27	0	27
Forest Lawn	Selmon Stanley, Route 1, Box 129-B, Clarendon	0	17	24	34	7	21	58	16	0	0	3	0	173	119	0	0	0	78	0	78
Friendly Chapel	Garnet Holcomb, Route 5, Box 101, Whiteville	6	8	10	5	5	10	12	1	0	0	5	0	62	45	0	0	0	45	0	45
Gapway	J. D. Lovette, Route 1, Green Sea, S. C. 29545	0	19	20	25	0	0	82	0	0	0	0	0	146	104	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hallsboro	John V. Cook, P. O. Box 81, Hallsboro	6	7	19	9	15	12	26	20	0	6	4	0	124	54	0	0	0	75	0	75
Hinson's Cross Roads	Francis Floyd, P. O. Box 263, Fair Bluff	0	27	32	37	16	16	80	22	0	0	4	0	234	117	0	0	234	79	0	79
Iron Hill	H. B. Todd, Route 1, Clarendon	0	12	11	11	5	16	45	18	0	0	2	0	118	70	0	0	0	52	0	52
Lake Waccamaw	Sonny Creech, P. O. Box 109, Lake Waccamaw	6	6	28	13	0	14	15	59	0	0	2	0	143	73	0	0	0	60	0	60
Lennon's Cross Roads	J. Z. Hinson, P. O. Box 147, Bladenboro	4	9	24	20	10	24	35	31	0	0	3	0	160	126	0	0	0	110	0	110

TABLE B SUNDAY SCHOOL YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1981 (Month & Day)

Association
Columbus
State
North Carolina
Associational Sunday School Director
Richard Poynor
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City Clarendon State N. C. Zip 28432

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	54 Cradle Roll enrolment (Birth to 2 years)	55 Preschool enrolment (Birth through 5 years)	56 Children enrolment (6 11 years or grades 1-6)	57 Youth enrolment (12 17 years or grades 7 12)	58 Young Adult enrolment—Single (18 29 years or H.S graduation through 29 years)	59 Young Adult enrolment-married (18 29 years or H.S graduation through 29 years)	60 Adult enrolment (30 59 years)	61 Senior Adult enrolment (60 and over)	62 Adults Away enrolment	63 Homebound enrolment	64 General officers enrolment	65 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	66 Total ongoing Sunday School enrolment	67 Average weekly Sunday School attendance	68 Number of Bible Study groups	69 Bible Study groups enrolment	70 Total enroled in Bible Study	71 Church V B S enrolment	72 Mission V. B. S. enrolment	73 Total V. B. S. enrolment
Macedonia	J. B. Williamson, Route 1, Evergreen	0	15	27	33	5	50	27	71	0	0	4	0	232	154	0	0	232	79	0	79
Mount Zion	Ed Miller, Route 2, Box 100, Clarkton	10	6	13	9	13	12	11	29	0	0	2	0	105	70	1	12	0	55	0	55
Nakina	Arnold FormyDuval, Route 1, Nakina	0	4	13	13	2	4	30	10	0	0	4	0	80	70	0	0	80	46	0	46
New Hope	Freddie Edwards, Route 3, Box 3, Whiteville	0	25	41	52	15	0	92	43	0	0	5	0	273	138	0	0	273	97	0	97
Oak Dale	Charles Horne, Route 1, Box 250, Whiteville	0	9	9	6	1	20	17	19	0	0	2	0	83	48	0	0	83	40	0	40
Peace	Murle Tison, Route 6, Box 52, Whiteville	2	0	21	21	0	5	50	0	0	0	3	0	102	55	2	0	102	70	0	70
Piney Forest	David Pless, P. O. Box 296, Cerro Gordo	0	3	0	11	9	7	15	30	0	0	0	0	75	40	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pleasant Hill	Alan Buffkin Route 5, Box 23-W, Whiteville	0	9	16	16	17	0	43	30	0	0	3	0	134	59	0	0	0	56	0	56
Pleasant Plains	Robert Ezzell, Route 3, Box 421-A, Whiteville	6	8	18	15	0	11	30	15	0	0	4	0	107	65	0	0	107	62	0	62
Porter Swamp	Lloyd Shepherd, Route 1, Fair Bluff	0	21	23	16	6	18	39	22	0	0	4	0	149	97	0	0	0	70	0	70
Riegelwood	Mrs. Martha Weeks, Cornwallis Dr., Riegelwood	0	17	42	48	18	26	70	19	0	0	4	0	244	123	1	0	244	145	0	145
Smyrna	Bobby Powell, Route 5, Box 384, Whiteville	0	16	20	22	0	0	66	33	0	0	2	0	159	85	0	0	0	69	0	69
Sweet Home	Crance Watson, Route 1, Box 125-A, Clarendon	2	18	24	27	18	14	78	34	0	0	2	0	215	118	0	0	0	105	0	105
Tabor City	Wallace Clontz, P. O. Box 551, Tabor City	0	49	51	63	27	33	100	82	0	0	5	0	410	227	0	0	0	205	0	205
Trinity	Mrs. Polly Justice, 310 Vine St., Whiteville	0	66	28	94	59	59	145	42	0	17	6	12	582	268	0	0	0	210	0	210
Union Chapel	Morris Green, Route 1, Bolton	4	7	0	11	7	0	22	11	2	0	18	0	64	39	1	0	64	30	0	30
Union Valley	Freddie Duncan, Route 1, Whiteville	5	6	4	8	8	16	23	6	0	0	3	0	79	61	1	20	79	32	0	32
Western Prong	R. N. Jordan, Route 2, Clarkton	5	12	37	61	8	16	79	58	0	13	7	0	296	133	0	0	296	87	0	87
Westside	Donnie Fowler, Route 5, Box 129, Loris, S.C..	6	14	24	15	7	23	15	22	0	0	2	0	128	91	0	0	91	81	0	81
White Marsh	J. C. Batten, Route 2, Box 306, Whiteville	4	10	14	19	7	18	34	23	0	0	2	0	131	85	0	0	0	60	0	60
Whiteville First	Robert Howard, Route 1, Box 62-A, Whiteville	0	50	60	43	144	35	155	125	0	0	8	0	620	280	1	0	620	125	0	125
Whiteville West	Ray Galloway, Route 6, Box 134, Whiteville	2	5	9	12	10	2	12	6	2	0	3	0	63	37	0	0	63	75	0	75
Williamson's Cross Roads	George Dillard, P. O. Box 27, Evergreen	0	7	10	12	8	0	30	15	0	0	11	0	93	69	0	0	0	52	0	52
North Whiteville	Dale Kinlaw, Route 5, Box 359-A, Whiteville	0	4	5	1	2	3	4	0	4	0	3	0	26	14	0	0	26	0	0	0

TABLE C CHURCH TRAINING **YEAR ENDING** Sept. 30, (Month & Day) 1981

Association
Columbus

State
North Carolina

Associational Church Training Director
Bobby Stanley

Address Route 1, Box 2 City Clarendon State N. C. Zip 28432

CHURCHES	CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	74 Preschool enrolment (5 years and under—not in school)	75 Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	76 Youth enrolment (12 17 years or grades 7-12)	77 Adult enrolment (18 and over)	78 Equipping Centers enrolment	79 N.C M.T children enrolment	80 N.C M T youth enrolment	81 N.C.M T adult enrolment	82 Hold File enrolment	83 General officers enrolment	84 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	85 Total Church Training enrolment	86 Average weekly Church Training attendance
Antioch	Philip Duncan, Route 4, Box 124-A, Whiteville	5	6	20	36	0	0	3	0	0	2	0	72	43
Boardman														
Bolton		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brunswick	Mrs. Dorothy Stevens, 403 W. Williamson, St., Whiteville	0	6	4	21	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	33	28
Calvary		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cedar Grove	Simp Powell, Route 1, Box 72, Cerro Gordo	2	3	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	16	12
Cerro Gordo	Nicky Herring, P. O. Box 158, Cerro Gordo	0	3	11	15	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	31	22
Chadbourn		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cheerful Hope		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cherry Grove	Bobby Edwards, 201 Wall Street, Tabor City	2	8	8	24	0	0	0	10	0	3	0	45	47
China Grove		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clarendon	Bobby N. Stanley, Route 1, Box 2, Clarendon	5	20	13	25	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	65	41
Corinth		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Delco	Wayne Evans, Route 1, Box 120, Delco	1	2	4	17	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	26	16
Evergreen		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fair Bluff		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Faith		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Forest Lawn		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Friendly Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gapway		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hallsboro		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hinson's Cross Roads	Charles Spaw, Route 1, Fair Bluff	4	16	36	31	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	89	48
Iron Hill		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lake Waccamaw		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lennon's Cross Roads	Edgar Evans, P. O. Box 185, Bladenboro	4	19	12	32	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	68	53

BLE C CHURCH TRAINING YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1981 (Month & Day)

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ociational Church Training Director
Bobby Stanley

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CHURCHES	CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	74 Preschool enrolment (5 years and under—not in school)	75 Children enrolment (6 11 years or grades 1-6)	76 Youth enrolment (12 17 years or grades 7 12)	77 Adult enrolment (18 and over)	78 Equipping Centers enrolment	79 N C M T children enrolment	80 N C M T youth enrolment	81 N C M T adult enrolment	82 Hold File enrolment	83 General officers enrolment	84 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	85 Total Church Training enrolment	86 Average weekly Church Training attendance
Macedonia														
Mount Zion		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nakina	Roy Clark, Route 1, Nakina	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
New Hope	Mrs. Linda McLam, Route 3, Box 64, Whiteville	2	10	12	26	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	53	33
Oak Dale		10	13	27	62	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	115	50
Peace		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Piney Forest		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pleasant Hill		0	7	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	20	18
Pleasant Plains	John P. Millican, Route 4, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Porter Swamp	Mrs. Cecil Williamson, Fair Bluff	2	2	7	25	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	38	24
Riegelwood		7	15	11	34	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	70	50
Smyrna	Mrs. Pearl Sellers, Route 1, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sweet Home		0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	10	6
Tabor City	Frank Stanley, P. O. Box 427, Tabor City	3	11	18	0	0	4	2	6	0	2	0	46	32
Trinity	Mrs. Sally Hewett, Route 5, Box 293-B, Whiteville	16	24	41	61	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	145	83
Union Chapel	Mrs. Helen Bass, Route 1, Lake Waccamaw	17	14	37	26	0	0	0	0	0	3	12	126	270
Union Valley		7	7	8	15	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	46	18
Western Prong	Jimmy Lanehart, Route 1, Box 106, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westside	Mrs. Vi Fonevielle, 216 Wall Street, Tabor City	1	14	16	32	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	66	42
White Marsh		5	6	15	32	0	0	3	4	0	2	0	67	51
Whiteville First		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Whiteville West		9	12	10	15	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	51	30
Williamson's Cross Roads		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
North Whiteville		2	3	1	6	0	0	0	0	12	0	2	26	14

TABLE D CHURCH MUSIC YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1981 (Month & Day)

Association: Columbus

State: North Carolina

Associational Music Director: Dennis Phillips

Address: 412 North Madison Street City: Whiteville State: N. C. Zip: 28472

CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	87 Preschool enrolment (4-5 years)	88 Children enrolment (6-8 years or grades 1-3)	89 Children enrolment (9-11 years or grades 4-6)	90 Youth enrolment (12-14 years or grades 7-9)	91 Youth enrolment (15-17 years or grades 10-12)	92 Adult enrolment (18 and over)	93 Handbell ringers enrolment	94 Vocal ensembles enrolment	95 Instrumental ensembles enrolment	96 General music leaders enrolment	97 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	98 Total ongoing Church Music enrolment
Antioch	Mrs. Euvis Powell, Route 3, Box 364, Whiteville	0	1	4	8	2	20	0	0	0	4	0	39
Boardman													
Bolton	Mrs. Estelle Ackerman, Route 1, Box 284, Bolton	0	5	9	0	0	18	0	0	4	0	0	36
Brunswick	Larry Ezzell, P. O. Box 24, Brunswick	0	1	3	3	0	17	0	10	0	4	0	38
Calvary	John Giles, Route 1, Box H-75, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	30	0	5	0	6	0	41
Cedar Grove	L. C. Green, Route 1, Cerro Gordo	4	10	0	8	8	20	0	0	0	4	0	54
Cerro Gordo	Herman Goodin, P. O. Box 159, Cerro Gordo	16	8	3	3	0	20	0	0	0	2	0	52
Chadbourn		5	20	3	8	7	21	0	0	0	4	0	68
Cheerful Hope	Bobby Ellis, Route 1, Box 66-B, Delco	3	4	3	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	26
Cherry Grove	Mrs. Gwen Boone, Route 1, Box 264, Cerro Gordo	0	20	12	0	0	20	0	4	0	3	0	59
China Grove	James H. Nobles, 110 Kinlaw Drive, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clarendon		1	6	8	5	9	14	0	0	0	4	0	47
Corinth	Tommy Bullard, Route 3, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	3	0	15
Delco	Glenn Evans, P. O. Box 112, Delco	5	7	4	2	12	12	0	0	0	8	0	50
Evergreen		0	0	0	7	4	18	0	0	0	7	0	36
Fair Bluff	Richard McIntosh, P. O. Box 506, Fair Bluff	0	15	0	18	0	18	0	9	0	4	0	64
Faith		0	2	3	1	1	8	0	0	0	2	0	17
Forest Lawn	Cecil Stanley, Route 2, Box 159, Tabor City	7	0	5	8	6	17	0	0	0	6	0	49
Friendly Chapel	Mrs. Irene Waddell, 1205 Pinkney Street, Whiteville	0	5	6	0	0	12	0	0	0	3	0	26
Gapway	Jerry Buffkin, Route 1, Box 314, Green Sea, S. C. 29545	3	2	8	3	4	2	0	1	1	4	0	28
Hallsboro	Mrs. Lynda Holland, P. O. Box 157, Hallsboro	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	2	0	10
Hinson's Cross Roads	Graham Ellis, Route 1, Fair Bluff	6	4	4	9	9	18	0	0	0	5	0	55
Iron Hill	Wilbert Ray, Route 3, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	12	10	0	0	0	2	0	24
Lake Waccamaw	Mrs. Elaine Speight, Route 1, Box 363, Lake Waccamaw	0	0	0	0	0	18	0	0	0	3	0	21
Lennon's Cross Roads	Tommy Hinson, Route 1, Box 362, Evergreen	5	6	9	7	5	25	0	0	0	5	0	62

TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1981 (Month & Day)

Association Columbus

State North Carolina

Associational WMU Director Mrs. Faye Pierce

Address Roue 2, Box 54-C City Whiteville State N. C. Zip 28472

CHURCHES	WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	Number of Organizations 99 Mission Friends (5 years and under—not in school)	100 Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	101 Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	102 Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H S graduation through 29 years)	103 Baptist Women (30 and over)	104 Mission(s) of church	105 Total number of organizations	Enrolment 106 Mission Friends (5 years and under—not in school)	107 Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	108 Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	109 Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H S graduation through 29 years)	110 Baptist Women (30 and over)	111 WMU officers	112 Mission(s) of church	113 Total ongoing ● WMU enrolment
Macedonia		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Zion	Mrs. Kate Brown, Route 2, Clarkton	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	8	8	0	0	14	3	0	33
Nakina	Mrs. Cleo Ward, P. O. Box 10, Nakina	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	10	3	0	13
New Hope	Mrs. Mona Faye McLelland, P. O. Box 1142, Whiteville	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	7	13	7	7	40	1	0	73
Oak Dale	Mrs. Larry Cartrette, Route 2, Box 104, Clarkton	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	6	0	0	13	6	0	25
Peace	Mrs. Maxine Hinson, Route 6, Box 34, Whiteville	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	0	4	8	0	8	3	0	0
Piney Forest	Mrs. Rachel Arnette, Route 3, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	27	3	0	30
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Virginia Buffkin, Route 5, Box 71, Whiteville	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	6	6	0	17	17	5	0	51
Pleasant Plains	Mrs. Alice Harrelson, Route 4, Whiteville	1	1	0	0	1	0	3	2	5	0	0	12	7	0	26
Porter Swamp	Mrs. Chapel Bullard, Route 1, Fair Bluff	1	1	1	0	1	4	8	6	12	0	0	18	3	0	39
Riegelwood	Mrs. Marlene Sears, P. O. Box 212, Riegelwood	1	1	1	1	2	0	6	5	5	8	7	40	5	0	70
Smyrna	Mrs. Juanita Hooks, Route 2, Box 117, Chadbourn	1	1	1	0	2	4	5	4	15	6	0	24	7	4	49
Sweet Home	Mrs. Donna Poynor, Route 1, Box 131-A, Clarendon	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	14	0	0	10	4	0	28
Tabor City	Mrs. Betty Fuller, 208 Burns Street, Tabor City	1	1	2	0	1	0	5	12	20	15	25	70	5	0	147
Trinity	Mrs. Hilda Ezzell	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	12	34	9	10	19	7	0	91
Union Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Union Valley	Mrs. Pauline Berry, Route 5, Box 424-A, Whiteville	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	3	3	6	0	8	2	0	22
Western Prong	Mrs. Frances Inman, Route 1, Box 148-A, Whiteville	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	2	10	12	0	60	7	0	91
Westside	Mrs. Agnes Soles, Route 2, Box 9, Tabor City	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	5	7	3	0	12	5	0	32
White Marsh	Mrs. Frances Sellers, Route 2, Box 58, Whiteville	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	4	13	10	0	27	7	0	61
Whiteville First	Mrs. E. L. Garrell, Route 6, Box 409, Whiteville	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	15	27	23	21	93	9	0	189
Whiteville West	Mrs. Geraldine Williams, Route 6, Box 133, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	7	2	1	10
Williamson's Cross Roads	Mrs. Lillie Williamson, Route 1, Box 370, Cerro Gordo	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	10	2	0	12
North Whiteville		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

YEAR ENDING Sept. 30 (Month & Day) 1981

Association
Columbus

State
North Carolina

Associational WMU Director
Mrs. Faye Pierce

Address Route 2, Box 54-C City Whiteville State N. C. Zip 28472

CHURCHES	WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	99 Mission Friends (5 years and under—not in school)	100 Girls in Action (6 11 years or grades 1-6)	101 Acteens (12 17 years or grades 7 12)	102 Baptist Young Women (18 29 years or H S graduation through 29 years)	103 Baptist Women (30 and over)	104 Mission(s) of church	105 Total number of organizations	106 Mission Friends (5 years and under—not in school)	107 Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	108 Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	109 Baptist Young Women (18 29 years or H S graduation through 29 years)	110 Baptist Women (30 and over)	111 WMU officers	112 Mission(s) of church	113 Total ongoing WMU enrolment
		Number of Organizations							Enrolment							
Antioch	Mrs. Linda Hewett, Route 4, Box 134-F, Whiteville	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	7	6	7	0	6	4	0	30
Boardman																
Bolton	Mrs. Carolyn Hart, Route 1, Box 456, Bolton	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	11	7	0	18
Brunswick	Mrs. Beatrice Lee, Route 6, Box 101, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	17	0	0	17
Calvary	Mrs. Linda Harrelson, Route 3, Box 476, Whiteville	0	1	0	0	2	0	3	0	10	0	0	9	4	0	25
Cedar Grove	Mrs. Alene Godwin, Route 1, Cerro Gordo	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	8	9	6	0	12	4	0	39
Cerro Gordo	Mrs. Doris Goodin, P. O. Box 159, Cerro Gordo	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	8	13	8	0	24	1	0	54
Chadbourn	Mrs. Marie Collins, 305 E. First Ave., Chadbourn	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	2	12	3	0	68	9	0	94
Cheerful Hope	Mrs. Mary Woolard, Route 1, Box 67-H, Delco	1	1	1	0	0	1	4	3	4	4	0	0	1	16	28
Cherry Grove	Mrs. Shirley Hendrix, Route 2, Box 92-A, Tabor City	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	8	10	6	12	12	8	0	56
China Grove		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clarendon	Mrs. Shirley Carter, P. O. Box 275, Bladenboro	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	4	10	8	10	12	10	6	60
Corinth		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Delco	Mrs. Virginia Lane, Route 2, Box 108, Riegelwood	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	0	14	11	0	10	1	0	35
Evergreen	Mrs. Sue Shaw, Route 1, Box 62, Evergreen	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	5	7	5	0	12	1	0	30
Fair Bluff	Mrs. Shirley Lawson, Route 1, Box 14, Fair Bluff	0	1	1	1	1	3	7	5	5	5	7	40	2	0	64
Faith	Mrs. Lena Frink, Route 1, Chadbourn	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	5	0	0	4	3	0	12
Forest Lawn	Mrs. Hazel Pigott, Route 2, Box 157, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	6	1	0	7
Friendly Chapel	Mrs. Margie Wright, 500 Canal Street, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	6	1	0	7
Gapway	Mrs. Shirley Buffkin, Route 1, Box 314, Green Sea, S. C. 29545	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	6	0	1	8
Hallsboro	Mrs. Lucille Greene, P. O. Box 40, Hallsboro	1	0	0	0	2	0	3	5	0	0	0	17	4	0	26
Hinson's Cross Roads	Mrs. Robert Hammond, Route 1, Fair Bluff	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	5	5	17	6	20	3	0	56
Iron Hill		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lake Waccamaw	Mrs. Mary Williamson, P. O. Box 224, Lake Waccamaw	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	9	0	0	12	3	22	46
Lennon's Cross Roads	Mrs. Bernard Lennon, Route 1, Box 436, Evergreen	1	2	1	0	1	0	5	5	9	12	0	25	2	0	53

TABLE D CHURCH MUSIC

YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1981
(Month & Day)

Association Columbus
State North Carolina
Associational Music Director Dennis Phillips
Address 412 North Madison Street City Whiteville State N. C. Zip 28472

CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	87 Preschool enrolment (4-5 years)	88 Children enrolment (6-8 years or grades 1-3)	89 Children enrolment (9-11 years or grades 4-6)	90 Youth enrolment (12-14 years or grades 7-9)	91 Youth enrolment (15-17 years or grades 10-12)	92 Adult enrolment (18 and over)	93 Handbell ringers enrolment	94 Vocal ensembles enrolment	95 Instrumental ensembles enrolment	96 General music leaders enrolment	97 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	98 Total ongoing Church Music enrolment
Macedonia	Ralph Nance, Route 1, Box 170, Evergreen	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	4	0	19
Mount Zion	Mrs. Kitty Blanton, Route 2, Box 143-A, Whiteville	0	6	0	13	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	31
Nakina	Mrs. Ralph Sasser, Route 1, Nakina	4	5	5	8	3	16	0	0	0	6	0	47
New Hope	Mrs. Doris Edwards, Route 3, Box 3, Whiteville	0	6	11	6	6	24	20	8	0	12	0	93
Oak Dale	Mrs. Sam Wyatt, Route 1, Box 262-AA, Whiteville	2	2	5	0	0	14	0	0	0	2	0	25
Peace		0	0	3	5	7	10	0	0	0	2	0	27
Piney Forest	Mrs. Rachel Arnette, Route 3, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	2	0	11
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Pam Gerald, Route 1, Box 426-A, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pleasant Plains		0	0	0	0	0	18	0	0	0	0	0	18
Porter Swamp	Mrs. Mildred Edwards, Route 1, Box 130, Fair Bluff	3	2	3	1	0	20	0	0	0	3	0	32
Riegelwood	Jimmy Lennon, Route 2, Box 6, Riegelwood	0	6	9	12	13	20	0	0	0	7	0	67
Smyrna	Al Norris, 503 West College St., Whiteville	1	8	4	4	8	18	0	0	0	5	0	48
Sweet Home	Anthony Fipps, Route 3, Box 250, Whiteville	2	5	12	12	13	20	0	23	0	12	0	99
Tabor City	Jim Smith, 104 Garrell Street, Tabor City	28	26	26	25	18	60	18	0	0	11	0	212
Trinity		6	10	15	10	10	40	0	6	0	3	0	100
Union Chapel	Mrs. Patty Hobbs, Route 1, Hallsboro	4	4	4	5	5	8	0	0	0	2	0	32
Union Valley	W. C. Butler, Route 5, Whiteville	0	4	3	4	5	11	0	0	0	3	0	30
Western Prong	Mrs. Dorothy Thompson, Route 5, Box 412, Whiteville	5	8	8	12	4	31	0	0	0	5	0	73
Westside	Jerry Watts, Brown Street, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	0	19	0	0	0	4	0	23
White Marsh		4	5	5	8	0	27	0	0	0	4	0	53
Whiteville First		10	15	8	17	18	32	7	6	0	3	0	116
Whiteville West	Mrs. Joanne Todd, Route 5, Box 357-A, Whiteville	2	4	0	0	2	8	0	0	0	2	0	18
Williamson's Cross Roads	Ms. Betty Lou Branch, Route 3, Chadbourn	4	3	6	8	0	12	0	0	0	6	0	41
North Whiteville	Mrs. Jewel Kinlaw, Route 5, Box 359-A, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	2	0	14

TABLE F BROTHERHOOD

YEAR ENDING ~~Sept. 30~~ 1981
(Month & Day)

Association
Columbus

State
North Carolina

Associational Brotherhood Director
Alan Buffkin

Address
Route 5, Box 23-W City Whiteville State N. C. Zip 28472

CHURCHES	BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	114 Crusaders (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	115 Pioneers (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	116 RA director and committee	117 Baptist Men enrolment-Basic	118 Baptist Men enrolment-Prayer	119 Baptist Men enrolment-Mission Action	120 Baptist Men enrolment-Witnessing or Lay Renewal	121 Brotherhood director and other general Brotherhood Officers	122 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	123 Total ongoing Brotherhood enrolment
Antioch		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Boardman											
Bolton		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brunswick		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Calvary		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cedar Grove	S. J. Powell, Route 1, Cerro Gordo	12	6	+	0	0	0	0	2	0	24
Cerro Gordo	C. E. Williamson, P. O. Box 207, Cerro Gordo	6	22	1	0	7	0	0	0	0	36
Chadbourn		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cheerful Hope		8	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	14
Cherry Grove	Norman Lovette, Route 2, Box 85-D, Tabor City	9	15	5	13	0	0	0	0	42	42
China Grove		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clarendon	J. R. Stanley, Jr., 109 Fowler Street, Tabor City	2	7	1	10	0	0	0	1	0	21
Corinth		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Delco	Martin Benton, Route 1, Box 98-C, Delco	9	1	2	7	0	0	0	2	0	21
Evergreen		6	7	1	0	0	8	9	0	0	32
Fair Bluff	Johnny Cutrell, Sr., P. O. Box 336, Fair Bluff	18	15	6	0	10	0	0	1	0	50
Faith		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Forest Lawn		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Friendly Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gapway	Ted Brigman, Route 1, Green Sea, S. C. 29545	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	11
Hallsboro		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hinson's Cross Roads	Charles Spaw, Route 1, Fair Bluff	13	13	1	21	0	0	0	0	0	48
Iron Hill		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lake Waccamaw		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lennon's Cross Roads	Craven Sealey, Route 1, Box 430, Evergreen	18	6	5	12	0	0	0	4	0	45

TABLE F BROTHERHOOD

YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, (Month & Day) 1981

Association
Columbus
State
North Carolina
Associational Brotherhood Director
Alan Buffkin
Address
Route 5, Box 23-W City Whiteville State N. C. Zip 28472

CHURCHES	BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	114 Crusaders (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	115 Pioneers (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	116 RA director and committee	117 Baptist Men enrolment-Basic	118 Baptist Men enrolment-Prayer	119 Baptist Men enrolment-Mission Action	120 Baptist Men enrolment-Witnessing or Lay Renewal	121 Brotherhood director and other general Brotherhood Officers	122 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	123 Total ongoing Brotherhood enrolment
Macedonia		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Zion		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nakina		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
New Hope	Linwood Edge, Route 6, Box 182, Whiteville	11	0	4	25	0	0	0	2	0	42
Oak Dale	James P. Britt, Route 1, Box 262-A, Whiteville	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	1	0	11
Peace		0	0	8	0	0	0	0	10	0	18
Piney Forest	Hubert McCleney, P. O. Box 92, Cerro Gordo	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	10
Pleasant Hill		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pleasant Plains	Graham Harrelson, Route 4, Whiteville	2	6	2	12	0	0	0	1	0	23
Porter Swamp	Bob Ford, Route 1, Box 317, Cerro Gordo	10	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	18	18
Riegelwood	Cameron Norris, P. O. Box 56, Riegelwood	25	20	7	0	0	0	28	4	0	84
Smyrna	Elwood Robinson, Route 2, Chadbourn	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	2	0	8
Sweet Home		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tabor City	Jimmy Dicus, P. O. Box 695, Tabor City	30	10	1	35	0	0	0	1	0	77
Trinity	Bill McCraw, Route 7, Box C-29, Whiteville	8	15	3	5	2	5	2	4	26	70
Union Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Union Valley		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Western Prong	Currie Wooten, Route 2, Box 113-A, Clarkton	9	12	3	15	0	0	0	0	0	39
Westside	Major Worley, Route 2, Box 4AA6, Tabor City	6	5	2	30	8	2	0	1	0	54
White Marsh		5	6	3	7	0	0	0	2	0	23
Whiteville First		16	15	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	32
Whiteville West		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Williamson's Cross Roads		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
North Whiteville		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

TABLE G TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP YEAR ENDING 9-30 (Month & Day) 1981

Association: Columbus
State: North Carolina
Associational Treasurer: Delma Ezzell
Address: P. O. Box 157 City: Whiteville State: N. C. Zip: 28472

		21	22	23	27a					27b		124	125	126	127	128	129	130	131	132	133
					Budget promotion or emphasis used during the year					Budget											
CHURCHES	TREASURERS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	Number of tithers	Cooperative Program goals as percent of total budget	Associational missions goal as percent of total budget	None	Forward Program or Alternate	Committed to Ministries	Tithers Commitment	Other	YES	NO	Total tithes, all offerings, and special gifts	All other receipts	Total receipts	Money borrowed during the year	Church staff salaries	Money paid out on new construction during the year	Debt retirement during the year	Church literature	All other local expenditures	Total local expenditures
Antioch	Mrs. Betty Ward, Route 4, Box 140-A, Whiteville	15	7	2	X	X	X	X	X	X		38,353	768	39,121	0	10,293	13,409	6,480	983	3,012	34,177
Boardman																					
Bolton	Mrs. Bernice McKeithan, Route 1, Box 290, Bolton	10								X		37,353	540	37,893	0	14,790	0	12,560	1,034	12,935	41,319
Brunswick	Mrs. Dorothy Rich, P. O. Box 71, Brunswick	10	6	3		X				X		23,925	1,404	25,329	0	10,166	1,196	0	1,029	9,825	22,217
Calvary	Mrs. Esther Pope, Route 6, Box 50, Whiteville	80	10	0					X	X		40,219	0	40,219	0	11,588	12,080	43,791	1,353	2,986	70,798
Cedar Grove	Johnny Green, Route 1, Cerro Gordo	8	7	3					X	X		296,000	20,000	316,000	0	11,200	1,000	0	850	2,850	15,900
Cerro Gordo	Floyd Harrelson, P. O. Box 165, Cerro Gordo	38	10	3					X	X		50,494	249	50,743	0	15,376	1,705	6,418	2,140	14,779	40,418
Chadbourn	Herman J. Carr, 705 E. First Ave., Chadbourn	18	6	1	X					X		65,548	0	65,548	0	27,962	0	0	2,295	21,070	51,327
Cheerful Hope	Mrs. Debbie Bracey, Route 1, Box 62-B, Delco	12	0	0					X	X		22,007	0	22,007	0	5,500	0	0	468	1,070	7,038
Cherry Grove	Volley Edwards, Route 1, Box 282, Cerro Gordo	46	11	3	X					X		74,258	0	74,258	7,500	24,879	0	0	3,854	43,146	71,879
China Grove	Edward Clewis, Route 2, Box 412, Chadbourn									X		13,390	0	13,390	0	8,430	0	0	1,196	6,911	16,537
Clarendon	Eugene Richardson, Route 1, Box 30, Clarendon	37	14	2	X					X		35,613	2,303	37,916	0	16,787	0	523	1,233	12,938	30,958
Corinth	Miss Geraldine Rabon, Route 3, Chadbourn	12								X		17,248	0	17,248	0	11,780	0	0	985	4,543	17,308
Delco	S. W. Barnhardt, Route 1, Box 1, Delco	26	14	4	X					X		42,497	1,433	43,929	0	16,816	0	0	1,052	7,349	25,217
Evergreen	Mrs. Mary Frances Inman, Route 1, Evergreen									X		46,818	0	46,818	0	11,257	0	0	1,697	0	12,954
Fair Bluff	Schley W. Waddell, Route 1, Fair Bluff	10								X		0	74,985	74,985	0	28,881	0	0	4,162	46,515	73,559
Faith	Mrs. Wilmer Hughes, Route 1, Chadbourn	25	3	3					X	X		17,122	0	17,122	0	6,283	0	1,690	225	7,309	15,507
Forest Lawn	Austin Canady, Route 1, Box 13, Tabor City	12	1	1	X					X		33,620	0	33,620	0	14,000	21,251	0	1,479	5,787	42,517
Friendly Chapel	Mrs. Irene Waddell, 1205 Pinkney St., Whiteville	16			X						X	14,000	0	14,000	0	7,800	0	0	300	3,900	12,000
Gapway	Leo Greenwood, Route 2, Tabor City	0	0	0	X						X	10,194	0	10,194	0	3,960	0	0	885	3,122	7,968
Hallsboro	Mrs. Ann Jones, Route 1, Box 301-A, Hallsboro	15	12	5						X		40,283	0	40,283	0	9,132	0	5,114	1,994	15,076	31,316
Hinson's Cross Roads	O. C. Jenkins, Jr., Route 1, Cerro Gordo	17	5	.8	X					X		42,175	0	42,175	0	17,988	0	0	2,610	16,005	36,608
Iron Hill	Ford Inman, Route 3, Box 39, Tabor City	14	0		X					X		26,410	0	26,410	0	7,720	0	0	800	9,367	17,887
Lake Waccamaw	Mrs. Thetus Hughes, 102 Canal Rd., Tabor City	8	2.5	2						X		40,928	0	40,928	0	17,559	0	0	753	11,929	30,241
Lennon's Cross Roads	Bernard Lennon, Route 1, Box 436, Evergreen	60	25	2					X	X		58,895	0	58,895	0	17,704	0	28,000	1,848	10,346	57,898

TABLE G TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP YEAR ENDING 9-30 1981
(Month & Day)

Association
Columbus

State
North Carolina

Associational Treasurer
Delma Ezzell

Address P. O. Box 157 City Whiteville State N. C. Zip 28472

CHURCHES	TREASURERS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	21 Number of tithers	22 Cooperative Program goals as percent of total budget	23 Associational missions goal as percent of total budget	27a Budget promotion or emphasis used during the year: None	Forward Program or Alternate	Committed to Ministries	Tithers Commitment	Other	27b Budget: YES	NO	124 Total tithes, all offerings and special gifts	125 All other receipts	126 Total receipts	127 Money borrowed during the year	128 Church staff salaries	129 Money paid out on new construction during the year	130 Debt retirement during the year	131 Church literature	132 All other local expenditures	133 Total local expenditures
Macedonia	Mrs. Linda Brown, Route 1, Evergreen	0	.7	.7					X	X		41,709	1,702	43,411	0	13,800	0	0	858	1,910	18,249
Mount Zion	Mrs. Betty Brock, Route 2, Box 161-A, Clarkton									X		18,607	1,680	20,287	0	7,600	0	0	838	7,627	16,066
Nakina	Ralph Sasser, Route 1, Nakina	3	.03		X					X		30,582	9,207	39,789	0	3,225	11,615	0	1,201	2,968	19,009
New Hope	Ms. Wanda Horton, Route 5, Box 99, Whiteville	75	19	5					X	X		66,012	0	66,012	175,000	17,372	23,099	41,968	3,480	46,986	132,905
Oak Dale	Kimble Brock, Route 1, Box 198, Whiteville	10	4	1					X	X		19,663	1,505	21,168	0	6,029	0	0	678	5,753	12,460
Peace	G. F. Hines, Route 5, Box 13, Whiteville	8	0	0	X					X		23,640	2,601	26,241	0	11,635	11,804	0	533	1,668	25,640
Piney Forest	Raymond Yates, Route 3, Box 338, Chadbourn	15	10	7						X		34,176	0	34,176	0	13,851	0	0	1,731	3,961	19,543
Pleasant Hill	Willard White, Route 1, Box 44, Chadbourn	10	12	4						X		20,827	0	20,827	0	5,828	0	0	2,046	0	5,471
Pleasant Plains	Wayne King, Route 4, Whiteville	12	5	1					X	X		32,985	0	32,985	0	13,538	0	2,000	2,007	10,318	27,863
Porter Swamp	Larry Bullard, Cerro Gordo	0	6	5	X					X		40,137	0	40,137	0	13,464	0	0	3,019	14,339	30,822
Riegelwood	Mrs. Betty White, Green Road, Riegelwood	35	11	2					X	X		81,493	1,355	82,848	0	23,659	0	0	5,365	21,346	50,370
Smyrna	Earl Goins, 515 W. Nance St., Whiteville	30	15	6						X		47,879	655	48,534	0	12,684	0	900	2,339	12,013	27,936
Sweet Home	Wilmer Patterson, Route 1, Box 144, Clarendon	14	0	0					X	X		45,371	1,180	46,551	0	15,600	0	16,784	1,064	9,519	42,967
Tabor City	C. C. Willoughby, P. O. Box 494, Tabor City		14	2	X					X		263,843	26,134	289,977	0	55,376	653,321	0	7,939	42,469	759,105
Trinity	V. C. Duncan, Route 1, Whiteville	180	18	4				X		X		162,429	0	162,429	0	47,948	0	22,360	7,906	15,905	94,119
Union Chapel	Mrs. Peggy Galloway, Route 1, Box 597, L. Wacc.	0	.5	0					X		X	13,948	0	13,948	3,500	2,400	7,844	605	316	600	11,765
Union Valley	Mrs. Alton Ward, Route 1, Whiteville	20			X					X		24,922	2,368	27,290	0	12,840	2,123	0	629	4,254	19,846
Western Prong	Grady Jordan, Route 2, Box 97, Clarkton	50	15	2					X	X		9,540	1,140	70,000	12,000	29,334	0	3,000	5,500	15,732	53,566
Westside	Mrs. Mary Watts, Brown Street, Tabor City	45	8	2				X		X		30,772	2,254	33,026	0	15,112	0	0	1,800	11,318	28,230
White Marsh	J. C. Batten, Route 2, Box 306, Whiteville	11	8	2	X					X		30,445	0	30,445	0	11,950	0	0	1,639	19,462	33,051
Whiteville First	Allen E. Price, P. O. Box 398, Whiteville	50	25	2.5					X	X		197,868	1,005	198,873	0	81,289	0	0	9,114	63,872	154,275
Whiteville West	Mrs. Juanita Collum, Route 5, Box 234, Whiteville	8	2	0				X		X		14,338	0	14,338	0	8,198	0	0	523	6,311	15,032
Williamson's Cross Roads	H. G. Williamson, P. O. Box 258, Cerro Gordo	10	8	2			X			X		22,507	552	23,059	0	12,447	0	0	730	7,105	20,282
North Whiteville	Mrs. Helen Carroll, Route 5, Box 413, Whiteville	4	0	0	X						X	5,460	81	5,541	0	1,820	1,205	0	142	1,114	4,281

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Association Columbus

State North Carolina

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CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	134	135	136	137	138	139	140	141	142	143	144	145	146	147	148
		CHURCH SPONSORED MISSIONS				OTHER MISSION CAUSE EXPENDITURES										
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Antioch	Mrs. Vera Fowler, Route 1, Box 103-P, Clarendon	0	256	256	1,620	175	242	713	650	0	0	0	0	0	1,780	3,655
Boardman																
Bolton	Mrs. Velma Herren, P. O. Box 355, Bolton	0	0	0	941	425	642	432	650	0	0	0	0	703	2,852	3,793
Brunswick	Mrs. Leona Ezzell, P. O. Box 24, Brunswick	0	0	0	1,262	667	54	250	445	60	60	30	30	673	2,269	3,531
Calvary	Mrs. Maxine Z. Newell, 404 W. Williamson St., Whiteville	0	0	0	2,425	380	0	66	125	0	0	0	0	4,426	4,996	7,421
Cedar Grove	Mitchell Bowen, Route 1, Cerro Gordo	0	0	0	956	414	0	371	300	0	0	0	0	0	1,085	2,041
Cerro Gordo	J. P. Hammond, P. O. Box 117, Cerro Gordo	0	0	0	4,388	1,316	58	1,028	602	0	0	36	0	115	3,155	7,543
Chadbourn	Miss Elaine Carr, P. O. Box 324, Chadbourn	0	0	0	1,404	400	398	777	1,404	0	0	0	0	491	3,470	4,875
Cheerful Hope	Mrs. Linda Hewett, Route 1, Box 62-E, Delco	0	0	0	1,872	936	0	773	365	0	0	0	0	0	2,074	3,946
Cherry Grove	Rudolph Lancaster, Route 1, Box 345, Green Sea, S.C.	0	0	0	6,063	1,695	0	1,036	1,506	0	0	0	0	500	4,736	10,800
China Grove	Ms. Ila Clewis, Route 2, Box 412, Chadbourn	0	0	0	400	300	0	436	136	0	0	0	0	120	992	992
Clarendon	Eugene Richardson, Route 1, Box 30, Clarendon	0	0	0	1,000	600	500	1,150	1,553	0	0	0	0	0	3,803	4,803
Corinth	J. A. Bowen, P. O. Box 271, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0	0	135	57	0	0	0	0	272	464	464
Delco	Mrs. Margaret Evans, Route 1, Box 120, Delco	0	0	0	3,860	1,131	686	800	929	0	0	0	0	2,321	5,867	9,728
Evergreen	Mrs. Reba Bartley, Route 1, Box 77, Evergreen	0	0	0	3,068	1,525	1,180	1,073	1,970	0	0	0	0	2,691	8,439	11,507
Fair Bluff	Harold Foley, P. O. Box 406, Fair Bluff	0	0	0	5,079	1,060	532	1,166	1,715	0	0	0	0	100	4,573	9,652
Faith	Mrs. L. H. Shuman, Route 5, Box 65, Whiteville	0	0	0	415	400	80	100	100	0	0	0	0	0	680	1,095
Forest Lawn	Mitchell Wright, Route 1, Box 18, Tabor City	0	0	0	375	375	150	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	525	900
Friendly Chapel	Mrs. Debbie Holcomb, Route 5, Box 101, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	275	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gapway	Billy Buffkin, Route 1, Box 313, Green Sea, S. C. 29545	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,013	1,013	1,013
Hallsboro	R. B. Wyche, P. O. Box 183, Hallsboro	0	0	0	3,392	1,000	5	401	1,081	0	32	0	0	146	7,663	6,055
Hinson's Cross Roads	Mrs. Ruth Reel, P. O. Box 5, Fair Bluff	0	0	0	1,727	250	466	100	744	0	0	0	0	310	1,870	3,597
Iron Hill	Mrs. Ila Wright, Route 3, Box 29, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	200	525	0	244	0	0	0	0	0	969	969
Lake Waccamaw	Mrs. Dolores Duncan, Route 1, Box 83, Lake Waccamaw	0	0	0	1,025	800	447	488	632	0	0	0	0	0	2,367	3,392
Lennon's Cross Roads	Gene Hickman, Jr., Route 1, Box 623, Bladenboro	0	0	0	8,278	1,341	1,047	2,131	3,732	0	0	0	0	0	8,250	16,528

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Macedonia	Mrs. Carolyn Reynolds, Route 1, Box 187-A, Evergreen	0	0	0	200	200	100	0	500	0	100	150	0	0	1,050	1,250
Mount Zion	Mrs. Estelle Lennon, Route 2, Box 143-C, Clarkton	100	0	100	457	120	40	425	424	0	0	0	0	0	1,009	1,566
Nakina	Mrs. Ralph Sasser, Route 1, Nakina	0	0	0	753	300	0	300	300	0	0	0	0	1,236	2,136	2,889
New Hope	Ms. Wanda Horton, Route 5, Box 99, Whiteville	0	0	0	11,675	2,895	55	482	940	0	0	0	0	38	4,410	16,084
Oak Dale	Mrs. Kimble Brock, Route 1, Box 198, Whiteville	0	0	0	719	175	0	151	175	0	0	0	0	699	1,200	1,919
Peace	Ms. Tammie Norris, Route 6, Box 52-BB, Whiteville	0	0	0	500	200	0	105	106	0	0	0	0	0	411	911
Piney Forest	Dr. Robert Yates, P. O. Box 468, Chadbourn	0	0	0	2,874	300	252	1,000	1,974	0	0	0	0	1,592	5,118	7,992
Pleasant Hill	D. C. Buffkin, Route 5, Box 71, Whiteville	0	0	13,347	2,287	1,062	348	642	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,349	3,349
Pleasant Plains	Ms. Ileta Collier, Route 4, Whiteville	0	0	0	1,200	300	0	550	1,200	0	0	0	0	0	2,050	2,050
Porter Swamp	Mrs. Sadie Herring, P. O. Box 155, Fair Bluff	0	0	0	1,729	1,531	0	287	230	0	40	0	0	0	2,088	3,814
Riegelwood	Mrs. Beverly Benton, P. O. Box 154, Wilmington 28402	8,732	0	8,732	6,830	2,450	443	1,578	1,775	0	0	0	0	210	6,456	22,018
Smyrna	Mrs. Melba Gurkin, Route 5, Box 441, Whiteville	0	0	0	4,942	1,875	0	439	662	0	0	0	0	0	2,976	7,918
Sweet Home	Mrs. Nancy Marlowe, Route 1, Box 230, Clarendon	0	0	0	824	510	161	259	269	0	0	0	0	225	1,424	2,248
Tabor City	Ms. Bernice Gerald, P. O. Box 157, Tabor City	0	0	0	18,000	2,600	2,250	1,477	1,668	0	0	0	0	4,282	12,277	30,277
Trinity	Mrs. Leola FormyDuval, Route 4, Box 410, Whiteville	0	0	0	15,928	3,743	500	2,400	2,891	0	0	0	0	50	9,584	25,512
Union Chapel	A. O. Squires, Route 1, Box 45, Bolton	0	0	0	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	170	170	195
Union Valley	Mrs. John Russ, Route 1, Box 376, Whiteville	0	0	0	1,200	600	0	419	232	0	0	0	0	260	1,511	2,711
Western Prong	Mrs. Jo Wooten, Route 2, Box 122, Clarkton	0	0	0	6,100	1,380	827	1,659	2,007	0	0	0	0	363	6,236	12,336
Westside	Mrs. Annie Inman, Route 1, Box 44, Tabor City	0	0	0	1,200	480	0	415	656	0	0	25	0	75	1,651	2,851
White Marsh	Billy Rushing, Route 2, Box 83-A, Whiteville	0	200	200	2,069	425	158	489	1,209	0	200	0	0	0	2,481	4,750
Whiteville First	Mrs. Ann H. Edwards, P. O. Box 145, Whiteville	0	0	0	43,417	3,792	1,943	2,613	6,107	0	0	0	0	1,188	15,643	59,060
Whiteville West	Mrs. Janice Galloway, Route 1, Box 87, Hallsboro	0	0	0	685	265	100	200	200	0	0	0	0	0	765	1,450
Williamson's Cross Roads	A. I. Williamson, Route 1, Box 370, Cerro Gordo	0	0	0	2,000	500	1,200	102	210	0	0	0	0	350	2,362	4,362
North Whiteville	Mrs. Jewel Kinlaw, Route 5, Box 359-A, Whiteville	0	0	0	30	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	60

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Does church have, observe, plan, use, etc.? Y Yes N No (columns 41–53)

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Antioch	Harvey Anderson, Route 7, Box 105, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	20	0	713	2	N	2	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y
Boardman																											
Bolton	J. Parks Godwin, P. O. Box 228, Bolton	0	0	0	0	0	0	432	0	N	2																
Brunswick	Thurman Stanley, Route 3, Box 459-A, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	250	2	N	2	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Calvary	John Giles, Route 1, Box H-75, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	15	0	66	3	N	3	0	0	1	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Cedar Grove	Kenneth Green, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	17	0	400	4	N	2	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N
Cerro Gordo	C. E. Williamson, P. O. Box 207, Cerro Gordo	0	0	0	0	15	0	1,028	7	N	2	0	1	2	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y
Chadbourn		0	0	0	0	8	0	777	8	N	1	0	0	0	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y
Cheerful Hope	M. M. Saunders, Route 1, Box 66-B, Delco	0	0	0	0	5	0	773	3	N	2	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N
Cherry Grove	Hosea Coleman, Route 2, Box 50-D, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,036	10	N	2	0	0	3	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N
China Grove	T. E. Nobles, Route 2, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0	0	136	4	N	2	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Clarendon	Bobby Stanley, Route 1, Box 2, Clarendon	0	0	0	0	6	0	1,150	10	N	2	0	0	1	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N
Corinth	O'Neal Myers, Route 3, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	N	2	0	0	0	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N
Delco	N. A. Lane, Route 2, Box 108, Riegelwood	0	0	0	0	8	0	800	4	N	1	0	0	6	Y	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y
Evergreen	Hubert Bartley, Route 1, Evergreen	0	0	0	0	3	0	1,073																			
Fair Bluff	B. A. Powell, P. O. Box 247, Fair Bluff	0	0	0	0	0	1	1,166	7	R	1	0	0	0	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N
Faith	Randy Horne, Route 5, Box 62-A, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	5	0	100	2	N	1	0	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N
Forest Lawn	Cecil Stanley, Route 2, Box 159, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	37	0	0	5	N	2	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N
Friendly Chapel	Garnet Holcomb, Route 5, Box 101, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	1	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Gapway	J. D. Lovette, Route 1, Green Sea, S. C. 29545	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	2	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Hallsboro	Ivan D. Wilson, Route 1, Box 110, Lake Waccamaw	0	0	0	0	4	0	321	5	N	0	0	0	0	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	N
Hinson's Cross Roads	Graham Ellis, Route 1, Fair Bluff	0	0	0	0	37	0	100	7	N	2	0	0	1	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N
Iron Hill	Faxon Ray, Route 1, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	18	0	0	4	N	2	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N
Lake Waccamaw	James Coleman, Route 1, Box 140, Lake Waccamaw	0	0	0	0	0	0	488	4	N	2	0	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Lennon's Cross Roads	Linwood Hedgepeth, Route 1, Box 366-A, Evergreen	0	0	0	0	5	0	2,123	4	N	0	0	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N

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															Does church have, observe, plan, use, etc.? Y – Yes N – No												
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Macedonia	J. B. Williamson, Route 1, Evergreen	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	5	N	2	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Mount Zion	Seth A. Duncan, Route 2, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	385	4		2	0	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y
Nakina	Royce Butler, P. O. Box 95, Nakina	0	0	0	0	2	0	300	1	N	2	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N
New Hope	E. L. White, Jr., Route 3, Box 61, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	482	7	N	1	0	0	0	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N
Oak Dale	Charles Horne, Route 1, Box 250, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	13	0	151	4	N	2	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y
Peace	Murle Tison, Route 6, Box 52, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	5	0	105	0	N	2	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N
Piney Forest	Ward Shaw, Route 2, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	N	1	0	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	Y
Pleasant Hill	Earl McKeithan, 221 S. Brown St., Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	3		642	5	N	0	0	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N
Pleasant Plains	John P. Millican, Route 4, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	550	5	N	2	0	0	0	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N
Porter Swamp	Earl Bullard, Route 3, Bladenboro	0	0	0	0	17	0	0	5	N	2	0	0	0	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N
Riegelwood	Dan Williams, West Cornwallis Drive, Riegelwood	0	0	0	0	53	0	1,578	9	N	2	0	0	53	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	N
Smyrna	Claude Hooks, Route 2, Box 177, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0	0	439	7	N	2	0	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N		Y	Y	N	Y
Sweet Home	Tommy Norris, Route 1, Clarendon	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	5	N	2	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N
Tabor City	Joe Coleman, Route 1, Box 57, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	18	0	1,477	12	R	1	0	0	0	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y
Trinity	Tom Ray, Route 6, Box 139-AA, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	45	0	2,400	10	R	2	0	0	0	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y
Union Chapel	A. O. Squires, Route 1, Box 45, Bolton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	2	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Union Valley	Dan Collum, Route 5, Whiteville	0	0	1	0	10	0	419	3	N	2	0	0	0	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y
Western Prong	Willis Horton, Route 1, Box 103-A, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,200	9	N	2	0	0	0	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y
Westside	Danny Hinson, Route 1, BOx 48, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	0	0	415	4	N	2	0	0	0	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N
White Marsh	Carlton Baldwin, Route 2, Box 117, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	10	0	489	0	N	1	0	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	N
Whiteville First	Robert Howard, Route 1, Box 62-A, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	28	0	2,703	11	R	2	0	0	0	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	N
Whiteville West	Ray Galloway, Route 6, Box 123, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	4	0	200	2	N	2	0	0	1	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y
Williamson's Cross Roads	Jerry Hardin, Route 3, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0	0	102	5	N	2	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y
North Whiteville		0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	N	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N

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			13	14	18	21	25	66	73	82	96	113	123	126	137	148
	NAME OF CHURCH	County	Total baptisms	Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)	Grand total present members	Number of tithers	Value of church property (incl. pastor's home)	Ongoing Sunday School enrolment	Vacation Bible School enrolment	Church Training enrolment	Ongoing Church Music enrolment	Ongoing W.M.U. enrolment	Ongoing Brotherhood enrolment	Total receipts	Cooperative Program	Grand total mission expenditures
1	Antioch	Col.	8	11	221	15	266,043	179	72	72	39	30	0	39,121	1,620	3,655
2	Boardman	Col.														
3	Bolton	Col.	3	0	113	10	0	107	48	0	36	18	0	37,893	941	3,793
4	Brunswick	Col.	9	3	140	10	150,000	104	28	33	38	17	0	25,329	1,262	3,531
5	Calvary	Col.	9	7	332	80	30,000	137	55	0	41	25	0	40,219	2,425	7,421
6	Cedar Grove	Col.	15	4	349	8	60,000	125	125	16	54	39	24	316,000	956	2,041
7	Cerro Gordo	Col.	4	3	319	38	325,000	218	122	31	52	54	36	50,743	4,388	7,543
8	Chadbourn	Col.	1	3	472	18	1,400,000	187	72	0	68	94	0	65,548	1,404	4,875
9	Cheerful Hope	Col.	0	2	85	12	35,000	69	64	0	26	28	14	22,007	1,872	3,946
10	Cherry Grove	Col.	8	5	444	46	49,000	226	118	45	59	56	42	74,258	6,063	10,800
11	China Grove	Col.	0	0	190		200,000	110	82	0	0	0	0	13,390	400	992
12	Clarendon	Col.	3	1	217	37	250,000	124	55	65	47	60	21	37,916	1,000	4,803
13	Corinth	Col.	0	0	113	12	80,000	65	0	0	15	0	0	17,248	0	464
14	Delco	Col.	3	7	190	26	200,000	165	73	26	50	35	21	43,929	3,860	9,728
15	Evergreen	Col.	4	4	264		441,036	202	0	0	36	30	32	46,818	3,068	11,507
16	Fair Bluff	Col.	7	5	461		318,000	226	85	0	64	64	50	74,985	5,079	9,652
17	Faith	Col.	2	3	77	25	100,000	48	27	0	17	12	0	17,122	415	1,095
18	Forest Lawn	Col.	6	7	205	12	205,000	173	78	0	49	7	0	33,620	375	900
19	Friendly Chapel	Col.	10	3	75	16	50,000	62	45	0	26	7	0	14,000	0	0
20	Gapway	Col.	20	0	208	0	100,000	146	0	0	28	8	11	10,194	0	1,013
21	Hallsboro	Col.	0	2	464	15	104,000	124	75	0	10	26	0	40,283	3,392	6,055
22	Hinson's Cross Roads	Col.	1	2	284	17	350,000	234	79	89	55	56	48	42,175	1,727	3,597
23	Iron Hill	Col.	3	6	176	14	100,000	118	52	0	24	0	0	26,410	0	969
24	Lake Waccamaw	Col.	0	0	340	8	360,000	143	60	0	21	46	0	40,928	1,025	3,392
25	Lennon's Cross Roads	Col.	7	8	262	60	660,000	160	110	68	62	53	45	58,895	8,278	16,528

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1	Macedonia	Col.	12	0	324	0	175,000	232	79	0	19	0	0	43,411	200	1,250
2	Mount Zion	Col.	0	4	176		130,000	105	55	0	31	33	0	20,287	457	1,566
3	Nakina	Col.	8	12	66	3	24,114	80	46	53	47	13	0	39,789	753	2,889
4	New Hope	Col.	1	7	546	75	425,000	273	97	115	93	73	42	66,012	11,675	16,084
5	Oak Dale	Col.	6	1	213	10	85,000	83	40	0	25	25	11	21,168	719	1,919
6	Peace	Col.	3	4	81	8	50,000	102	70	0	27	0	18	26,241	500	911
7	Piney Forest	Col.	0	0	131	15	100,000	75	0	20	11	30	10	34,176	2,874	7,992
8	Pleasant Hill	Col.	0	5	266	10	225,000	134	56	0	0	51	0	20,827	2,287	3,349
9	Pleasant Plains	Col.	5	2	180	12	250,000	107	62	38	18	26	23	32,985	1,200	2,050
10	Porter Swamp	Col.	0	6	265	0	300,000	149	70	70	32	39	18	40,137	1,729	3,814
11	Riegelwood	Col.	13	17	370	35	460,000	244	145	0	67	70	84	82,848	6,830	22,018
12	Smyrna	Col.	2	3	272	30	300,000	159	69	10	48	49	8	48,534	4,942	7,918
13	Sweet Home	Col.	4	5	284	14	530,000	215	105	46	99	28	0	46,551	824	2,248
14	Tabor City	Col.	12	30	850		1,198,000	410	205	145	212	147	77	289,977	18,000	30,277
15	Trinity	Col.	22	48	855	180	700,000	582	210	126	100	91	70	162,429	15,928	25,512
16	Union Chapel	Col.	1	4	120	0	45,000	64	30	46	32	0	0	13,948	25	195
17	Union Valley	Col.	8	7	194	20	75,000	79	32	0	30	22	0	27,290	1,200	2,711
18	Western Prong	Col.	7	7	447	50	500,000	296	87	66	73	91	39	70,000	6,100	12,336
19	Westside	Col.	10	9	150	45	170,000	128	81	67	23	32	54	33,026	1,200	2,851
20	White Marsh	Col.	2	7	275	11	150,000	131	60	0	53	61	23	30,445	2,069	4,750
21	Whiteville First	Col.	15	17	884	50	1,500,000	620	125	51	116	189	32	198,873	43,417	59,060
22	Whiteville West	Col.	2	4	176	8	100,000	63	75	0	18	10	0	14,338	685	1,450
23	Williamson's Cross Roads	Col.	8	3	215	10	150,000	93	52	0	41	12	0	23,059	2,000	4,362
24																
25	North Whiteville	Col.	0	0	16	4	1,900	26	0	26	14	0	0	5,541	30	60

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CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

PREAMBLE

We, the messengers of Baptist Churches of Columbus County, do hereby propose to establish and maintain the order and rules of a District Association in conformity to the following plan:

ARTICLE I. NAME

This organization shall be known as the Columbus Baptist Association.

ARTICLE II. OBJECTIVES

The objectives of the Association shall be to elicit, combine, and direct the energies of Columbus Baptists in advancing the Redeemer's Kingdom throughout the earth, more especially along the lines recommended and adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention, the North Carolina Baptist State Convention, and the Association itself, to promote the fellowship and good-will among the Churches; and to devise and promote measures for increasing the harmony, intelligence and spiritual powers of the churches.

ARTICLE III. MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. This Association shall be composed of regularly constituted Baptist Churches in Columbus County that shall be represented at its regular or special meetings by duly elected messengers in the following ratio: (1) Three (3) for the first one hundred members or fraction thereof, and one for each fifty additional members, but provided that no church may have more than 10 messengers. (2) All ordained ministers who are serving as pastor within the Association, Associational Officers and Committee members.

Section 2. Messengers shall be members in good standing with the church they represent, and their names must appear on the letter from their church to the Association to entitle them to be seated as messengers.

Section 3. The Association shall be sole judge of its membership, and may reject or receive churches applying for membership therein at its pleasure, provided that the churches so received shall come under the watchcare of the Association for a period of one year. During this period such church or churches shall be entitled to all the rights and privileges of the Association except that of their members voted or holding office. At the conclusion of this period, should no valid objection be raised, they then become members in regular standing by action of the Association.

Section 4. The Association shall encourage the organizing of new Baptist Churches within Columbus County under the leadership of any pastor, Church, Churches, or interested persons of the Association. If a new church contemplates being received into the fellowship of the Association after its organization, those who are to compose its charter membership and those leading in its organization are urged to seek the counsel of the Executive Promotion Committee and shall proceed with the organization only after approval is given.

Section 5. A Church seeking admission into the Association shall present its application to the Credentials Committee, and furnish the Committee with such information as it may require about the Church. The Committee may then recommend that such Church be received under the watchcare of the Association for the period of one year from the date of that Associational Meeting.

Section 6. The Association may at any time dissolve connection with any church that becomes disorderly in practice or that fails to represent itself either by messengers or letter for two consecutive sessions without sufficient reason, or that ceases to be missionary in practice. The support of the causes fostered by the denomination at large and of this Association in particular shall be the test of each church as missionary body.

Section 7. The New Testament shall be accepted as the sole guide in matters of doctrine and practice, and the Association shall reserve the right to withdraw fellowship from any church that does not conform thereto.

ARTICLE IV. POWERS AND PREROGATIVES

The Association shall have no power whatsoever to infringe upon the right of the churches. It may advise or recommend measures to usefulness for their adoption and guidance, but cannot bind them in any way. All the churches constituting the Association remain sovereign and independent bodies and unite only that they may more effectively promote the causes of Christ throughout the world.

ARTICLE V. DUTIES OF CHURCHES

It shall be the duty of each church to appoint messengers, to insist upon their attendance at Associational meetings, to contribute toward the expense of the Association, and to send annually a report to the Association which gives information requested in forms provided by the Associational Clerk.

ARTICLE VI. ORGANIZATION

Section 1. The general officers shall be a Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian and Three Trustees.

Section 2. Additional Officers shall be the Associational Director of Sunday School, Church Training Director, W.M.U. Director, Brotherhood Director, Music Director, Library Director, Chairman of Evangelism, and others as needed, including a full slate of organizational officers as recommended by the Educational Division of the Baptist Sunday School Board.

Section 3. The nominating committee shall recommend the officers to the Association. However, the Association reserves the right to make other nominations for any and all offices and committees.

Section 4. The offices of Clerk and Treasurer may be held by the same person.

Section 5. The General Officers and additional officers as specified in Section 2 of this Article shall be elected at the Spring Session and shall be installed and assume their duties at the close of the Fall Session of the current year and continue their duties until their successors are installed at the next fall session unless removed for cause, or until their successors are appointed.

Section 6. The term of office for Moderator and Vice-Moderator shall not exceed two years in succession. All other officers may be re-elected to succeed themselves in office at the pleasure of the Association.

Section 7. All officers and committees shall be members of churches affiliated with the Association.

Section 8. The term of office for all members of committees shall be for three (3) years and they shall serve so that one-third shall rotate off each year.

Section 9. Vacancies in these offices or committees that may occur between the annual sessions of the Association, shall be filled for the remainder of the Associational year by the Executive Promotion Committee.

ARTICLE VII. DUTIES OF OFFICERS

Section 1. It shall be the duty of the Moderator to preside when the Association is in session; and serve as chairman of the Executive Promotion Committee. The Moderator shall also appoint a five member Committee on Committees within ten (10) days after the Annual Meeting of the Association.

Section 2. It shall be the duty of the Vice-Moderator to preside in the absence of the Moderator and to assist him in every way possible, and to succeed to the office of Moderator if and when during his tenure the office of Moderator becomes vacant.

Section 3. It shall be the duty of the Clerk to keep an accurate record of the meetings of the Association and prepare minutes to be distributed as soon thereafter as possible. He shall serve as secretary of the Executive Promotion Committee.

Section 4. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to keep an accurate record of the money paid into his hands, pay all bills as they become dur, and to make an annual report to the Association. He shall make a written report of the financial condition of the Associational Council and provide written reports to the Executive Promotion Committee when requested. He shall make a monthly report to the Associational office. He shall be a member of the Finance Committee.

Section 5. It shall be the duty of the Historian to collect minutes of each session of the Association and have these bound into book form every ten (10) years, and to assist in any way possible in keeping records of the history of the Association. He shall submit a short history of two (2) different churches at each annual meeting, to be incorporated into the Associational minutes each year until all churches have a written history in the minutes. The churches shall be taken in alphabetical order: any new church coming in shall be put at the bottom of the list.

Section 6. It shall be the duty of the Associational Director of Sunday School, Church Training Director, W.M.U. Director, Music Director, Brotherhood Director and Library Director to lead in the promotion of the activities of the organization of which he or she is head, and to preside over the meetings of the organization. These officers shall bring a report of their work to each quarterly meeting of the Associational Council.

Section 7. It shall be the duty of the Trustees to hold in trust all property of the Association.

Section 8. All reports, both Associational and Denominational, shall not exceed 300 words, except the Treasurer's Report and the Director of Missions.

ARTICLE VIII. RULES OF ORDER

Section 1. All business shall be conducted and all discussions carried on in the manner prescribed in "Robert's Rules of Order Revised."

Section 2. The method of voting shall be by show of hands, or by the will of the body.

Section 3. The simple majority shall prevail in all cases, except as otherwise provided in this Constitution, provided that any member may at any time call for a written ballot or roll call of doubtful issues.

Section 4. A ruling by the presiding officer shall be final unless appeal be had from such ruling to the entire body present.

Section 5. A question having been decided twice by vote in the same attitude at a regular session of the Association shall not be reintroduced except by consent of the body, as expressed by a majority vote.

Section 6. At least one-fifth of the messengers enrolled shall be necessary to constitute a quorum.

ARTICLE IX. TIME OF MEETING

Section 1. The Association shall hold its annual meeting on Tuesday before the 4th Sunday in October and a Spring Inspirational Meeting on Tuesday before the 4th Sunday in April. However, in the case of some unavoidable circumstances that makes a change in the date of the annual meeting necessary, either the Associational Council of the Executive Promotion Committee, preferably the Executive Promotion Committee, shall have the authority to change said date provided at lease two (2) weeks in advance of the new date for the annual meeting.

Section 2. In the event of some emergency that makes a call meeting of the Association necessary, either the Associational Council, or the Executive Promotion Committee shall have the authority to call for a special meeting of the Association, provided that a notice of the time and place and purpose of such a call meeting shall be mailed to the Pastors and Clerks of the Churches of the Association at least two (2) weeks in advance of the time set for the call meeting.

ARTICLE X. THE ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR

The Associational year shall begin the first of October and close the last of the following September.

ARTICLE XI. THE EXECUTIVE PROMOTION COMMITTEE

Section 1. The Executive Promotion Committee shall be composed of the Pastor of each church in the association, the two (2) members (either men or women) represented by each church in the Association on the church letter, and the following Associational officers: Associational Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, W.M.U. Director, Brotherhood Director, Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian, Music Director, Library Director, and Chairmen of all standing committees.

Section 2. It shall act for the Association in the interim between the annual sessions.

Section 3. The duty of this committee shall be to carry out the policies and will of the Association. It shall not take any action contravening the will of the Association; nor shall it initiate any new policies or practices binding on the Association, unless specifically do directed, provided: That in an adequate emergency it may take such action as it may deem necessary, but such action shall in every case be submitted to the next meeting of the Associatio for appropriate consideration. It shall make a full and complete report of its activities at the next Associational meeting. It shall meet quarterly and as oten thereafter as is necessary to carry out the policies and will of the Association. A meeting of this committee may be called at any time by the chairman, and it shall be his duty to call a meeting upon the request of any five (5) members of this committee.

ARTICLE XII. ASSOCIATIONAL COUNCIL

Section 1. The Association shall have an Associational Council composed of the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Church Training Director, Sunday School Director, W.M.U. Director, Brotherhood Director, Music Director, Library Director, Chairman of Finance, Evangelism and Missions Committees.

Section 2. The Vice-Moderator shall be chairman of this Council.

Section 3. This committee shall counsel and advise any committee or church in the Columbus Baptist Association on any subject which has been submitted to it.

Section 4. This committee shall meet prior to the regular meeting of the Executive Promotion Committee. The chairman of this committee shall bring to each meeting of the Executive Promotion Committee a report of its work.

Section 5. This committee is responsible for the supervision of the work of the Director of Missions and shall study carefully the program of work for the entire Association and the needs of all the churches. In the light of this study, the committee shall work out an annual Calendar of Activities for the Association to be presented to the Executive Promotion Committee, to run concurrently with the Calendar year.

ARTICLE XIII. STANDING COMMITTEES AND DUTIES

Section 1. Committee on Committees - This committee shall be composed of five (5) members which said members shall come from different churches within the association.

(a) It shall be the duty of this committee to present at the annual meeting of the association when called upon by the Moderator, a nomination for the membership of all standing committees of the association unless otherwise provided in this constitution.

Section 2. Nominating Committee - The Nominating Committee shall be composed of at least five (5) members. The Nominating Committee shall nominate all officers proposed by the constitution. After they are nominated the Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, W.M.U. Director, Music Director, Baptist Men's Director and Librarian shall enlist and propose a full slate of organizational leaders to the Nominating Committee. After the Nominating Committee makes its report to the Association, other nominations shall be in order from the floor.

Section 3. Program Committee - The duty of this committee is to plan the program for the annual meeting of the Association and bring it to the Executive Promotion Committee for discussion and approval. The committee should begin its work well in advance of the meeting of the Association and should make sure that those requested to make reports are prepared and on hand. Copies of the program should be prepared and distributed to the messengers and visitors at the Associational Meeting.

Section 4. Finance Committee - This committee should keep a close watch on the needs of the Association for an adequate budget and for a well-balanced program of work and should be prepared to bring to the Association in Annual Session a proposed budget. This committee should also be prepared to advise with the Treasurer of the Association during the year concerning the items in the budget to the end that the Association may be kep in a healthy financial condition. It shall be the duty of the committee to see that an audit of the Treasurer's books be made following the close of the Associational year and presented to each Annual Meeting of the Association.

Section 5. Credentials Committee -

a. It shall be the work of this committee to make a proper investigation of churches that express a desire to affiliate with the Association concerning their being orthodox in faith and cooperative in spirit, to report to the Association in annual session their findings and recommendations concerning the acceptance or rejection of such churches.

b. If invited this committee shall go to any church for the purpose of edifying Christian fellowship.

Section 6. Committee on Ordination.

a. This committee shall consist of three (3) ordained ministers presently serving as pastors in the Association and two (2) ordained deacons.

b. This committee shall serve only in an advisory capacity and, when invited by a church in the Association, shall assist in the examination, preparation and ordination of candidates for the gospel ministry.

Section 7. Committee on Evangelism - This committee should seek to keep alive the fires of evangelism in all the meetings of all the organizations of the Association, encourage evangelistic services in churches not reporting baptisms and help provide evangelistic services in unchurched sections within the bounds of the Association, to organize and promote the Simultaneous Revivals, and to promote any County-wide Evangelistic services. This committee shall be organized in accordance with the suggested Southern Baptist Program of Evangelism.

Section 8. Missions Committee. This committee shall keep alert to any development that may make a new church or branch Sunday School necessary, advise with groups considering a new church or branch Sunday School about the necessity of such organization, assist in organizing new churches, and seek to encourage the best location possible when new churches are formed. This committee shall also, when invited by the Vacation Bible School Director, or the Director of Missions, assist in promoting and maintaining Vacation Bible School wherever needed in the Association. It shall encourage pastorless, part-time churches to form fields, with pastors located as near the center as possible; assist churches when called upon or when there is an evident need, when such is welcomed, to find most suitable pastors, and to serve as contact man for worthy men desiring to become pastors.

Section 9. Committee on Denominational Agencies - This committee shall consist of one person representing each of the following: Cooperative Program, Baptist Hospital, Children's Homes, Denominational Literature, Homes for the Aging, Baptist Colleges, Ministers' Retirement: and any other cause, agency, or institution deemed advisable. It shall be the responsibility of each of these to see that the interests of these causes and agencies are kept before the Association and churches at all times, and that proper report concerning the progress and needs of these causes and agencies are presented to the Associational meetings.

Section 10. Committee on Libraries - It shall be the duty of this committee to plan and promote church library work in the Association. It should encourage each church without a library to start one, and help in stabilizing those already in operation. The committee should assist churches in starting their libraries and help them in organizing their library committee. The committee should also plan and promote a program of training for all church libraries.

Section 11. Constitutional Committee - It shall be the duty of the committee to study the Constitution of our Association, and to recommend to the Association at its annual session such changes, amendments or revisions as may be deemed necessary and appropriate in accordance with the needs of the Columbus Baptist Association.

Section 12. Resolutions Committee - It shall be the duty of this committee to prepare and present to the Association at its annual session, such resolutions and other reports as may be appropriate and in order for consideration by the Association.

Section 13. Time, Place and Preacher Committee - It shall be the duty of this committee to plan and prepare for the annual session of the Columbus Baptist Association, and to secure a preacher and alternate preacher for the first day of the annual session, and to do such other acts and things as may be necessary to provide the proper facilities for such annual meetings of the Columbus Baptist Association.

Section 14. Christian Social Ministries - The work of this committee is to create an awareness in the Baptist churches of Columbus Baptist Association of the teachings and ministries of Jesus Christ in attempting to meet the needs of the total person in light of the Gospel. Workshops will be held to point out needs of persons and possible ways in which we may become involved to meet those needs.

Section 15. Christian Life - The work of the Christian Life Council is to be alert and call to the attention of the association any encroachment upon our religious freedom. Working through its chairman it shall report at each Executive Committee meeting any matter that appears to be contradiction to our belief.

Section 16. Deacon Representative - The Deacon Representative shall be responsible for seeing that at least one training session (workshop or retreat) shall be conducted for deacons from across the association during each associational year.

Section 17. Energy Consultant - The Energy Consultant will prepare himself to the extent that he will stand ready to make suggestions on how a church may conserve energy.

ARTICLE XIV. REVISION

This Constitution may be immediately revised at any regular session of the Association by a two-thirds vote of the messengers present, provided notice of such revision shall be given in the afternoon session and then voted on in the evening session.

GUIDELINES FOR THE
DIRECTOR OF ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS

I. EMPLOYMENT

A. HOW EMPLOYED

1. The association employs its Director upon the recommendation of the Associational Council, and by vote of the association in the annual session or by the Executive Committee between session.

B. TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT

1. The Director is employed for an indefinite period of time. The association or the Executive Committe may terminate the service of the Director by vote, provided that sixty (60) days notice has been given before services are terminated. The missionary may terminate his services, provide sixty (60) days notice is given. By agreement of the Director and the Executive Committee the sixty (60) days notice may not be required.

2. Salary for the Director shall be paid as stated in the budget of the association.

3. Retirement for the Director is provided by the association by paying an amount equal to 10% of his salary for retirement funds.

4. A housing allowance, a travel allowance, and convention and conference allowances are provided as stated in the budget.

5. The Director is allowed two (2) weeks of vacation time, annually to be taken at his discretion. Vacation time may not be accumulated.

6. The Director may hold two (2) weeks of revivals each year, exclusive of vacation time, for which he may keep any honorarium given.

7. The Director shall be allowed sick leave with pay for a period of two (2) weeks annually, the total credit this accumulated not to exceed forty-four (44) business days. Should illness exceed the accumulated sick leave time, the vacation time may be added to cover additional days.

8. The Director will establish and maintain office hours enabling the public to contact him at the prescribed hours.

9. The "Normal work week will be five (5) days. The Director will arrange with the Associational Council as to his 'day off' and holidays."

II. RELATIONSHIPS

A. TO THE ASSOCIATION

1. The Director is responsible to the Associational Council as prescribed by Article XII, Section 5 of the Constitution.

2. The Director recognizes the moderator as the chief officers of the association and works in close cooperation with him.

3. The Director counsels with the Associational Council in all matters that relate to his work. This committee is responsible in all budget matters that relate to the living provisions and office arrangements of the Director.

4. The Director shall promote the work of the association cooperating with the churches, their pastors and officers, and the associational committees and officers.

5. The Director of Missions shall make a report to the Associational Council and to the Executive Committee at their meetings.

B. TO THE CHURCHES

1. The Director may work in the churches upon invitation and as he deems wise.

2. The Director works with the churches only through, or with full consent of the pastors.

3. The Director counsels with individuals from churches upon their request concerning individual matters or matters of church program, and may give information to these individuals, provided he does not assume the role of pastor to the individual or in any way threatens to impar the relationship of the individual to his pastor.

4. The Director leads and guides the officers of the association in planning training events and other programs designed to strengthen the work of the churches. The churches are free to avail themselves to these opportunities as they will.

C. TO THE DENOMINATION

1. The Director keeps himself informed about the work of the conventions and their agencies, and presents this information to the pastors, Associational churches, and individuals as he has opportunity.

2. The Director interprets the work of the denomination in the association and engages the churches to support the work of the denomination with prayers, personal lives, and finances.

III. THE WORK OF THE DIRECTOR

A. ADMINISTRATION

1. The Director is the chief administrative (promotional) officers of the Association. He carries out the programs of the association as directed by the association or the Associational Council.

2. Other employees of the association are responsible to the Director in all matters in which their work relates to the association.

3. The Director as chief administrative (promotional) officer is responsible for evaluation of all programs, and seeking to counsel with the association concerning their effectiveness, and make proposals as to strengthening or improving the programs.

B. MISSION WORK

1. In cooperation with the Missions Committee, the Director will seek out places of missions need, and seek to enlist an appropriate church to meet these needs.

2. In the event no church can be enlisted to meet these needs, upon the instruction of the Missions Committee, the Director may lead in a program to meet the need in the name of the association.

C. OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES

1. The Director works in close cooperation with the officers of the association, lending assistance as needed.

2. The Director is an ex-officio member of all committees of the association.

D. PROMOTION

1. The Director shall promote the whole program of the association, the Baptist State Convention, and the Southern Baptist Convention.

E. THE OFFICE

1. The office is maintained by the association for the use of the Director and the necessary staff.

2. The Director is responsible for the operation of the office with guidance as necessary from the Associational Council.

3. He offers counsel and guidance to other office personnel as needed.

4. He keeps on hand needed free materials for churches and members.

5. He prepares calendars, booklets, and letters as needed to carry out the duties of his office.

6. He shall mail out a monthly newsletter.

7. He collects periodicals and materials of value for an associational library.

8. He purchases and provides suggestions for the purchase of audio-visual equipment and materials for loan to churches.

9. He is the chief public relations officers of the association, both through the church and through the usual communication media.

10. He may add other duties and responsibilities as directed by the association or the Associational Council and Executive Committee.

GUIDELINES FOR OFFICE ASSISTANT

She is responsible for all office equipment as to assigning out and checking in. Also to its condition when it is received back into the office. Also, to be acquainted with the operation of each piece of equipment and its operation. That she maintain the office as to the cleanliness thereof. The Committee recommended that all work by the Office Assistant not related to associational work, be paid for according to her time involved at the same rate she is paid by the Columbus Baptist Association. Also this money rendered for services during office hours to toward office expense and maintenance. In all cases associational work take preference over outside work during regular office hours. That the office equipment be used only by the office employees or under the supervision of the Office Assistant. Exception: Only Office Personnel will use the new typewriter that is to be purchased.

She will receive two (2) weeks vacation with pay. This was approved by the Executive Committee July 23, 1979. Approved by the Association October, 1979. Hospital benefits will be as provided in the budget.

COLUMBUS BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Our Association dates back to 1805 when it was first known as Cape Fear. It existed until 1898. For a long time the Cape Fear Association included churches in Robeson, Columbus, Bladen and Brunswick Counties with some in Pender and a few in South Carolina near the state line.

This was twenty-five (25) years before our Baptist State Convention was organized and sixteen (16) years after George Washington became the first President of the United States.

This southeastern part of North Carolina had been thinly settled, but along about this time a number of families had moved into this section from other parts of this and other states. During the prior half century many Scotch and Irish families had come from Europe and settled along the Cape Fear River and outlying territory.

Religious interest had been rather low in some of this territory and churches were few and far between. A few Methodist churches had been organized and Bishop Asbury made a journey through this section in 1801, organizing some other churches.

Some churches believed in missions and some others said that God would save people in His own way and time. In some churches there were men who held to Calvinistic doctrine and beliefs of the Primitive Baptists.

Settlements and farms in this part of the state were widely scattered. Roads were poor and many of the people had very little education. Yet, people at that time, appeared to know their neighbors fairly well, although their homes might have been thirty or forty miles away. Their usual manner of travel was on horseback when too far to walk.

The churches that are members of the Columbus Baptist Association today that were members of the original association and the date of their acceptance are listed here: Porter Swamp entered the association in 1830; Iron Hill in 1831; Pleasant Plains in 1836; Mount Tabor (Tabor City) in 1838; Macedonia in 1839; Western Prong in 1843; Cherry Grove in 1846; Pleasant Hill in 1848; White Marsh in 1852, (which is also the oldest church in our association, being established in 1765); Whiteville First in 1863; Sweet Home in 1864; Piney Forest in 1869; Cedar Grove in 1870; Gapway and New Hope in 1874; Bogue Chapel (Hallsboro) and Fair Bluff in 1876; Oak Dale in 1884; China Grove in 1890; and Smyrna in 1892.

During the period between the Civil War and the close of the century there were increases in people, farming, roads and schools. There was more interest in church work and in most communities Sunday Schools were organized. Most of the people were poor and living standards continued low for many years. Public schools were available to most children, but usually for only two or three months per year. Many people were illiterate.

In 1888 the first Columbus Baptist Association was formed from churches withdrawing from the Cape Fear Association. This newly organized association remained in existence until 1898. Many of those still existing churches were members. These churches and the year they were admitted to the Association follows:

In 1888, New Hope, Union Valley and Whiteville First became members. Williamson's Cross Roads joined the association in 1898, followed by Chadbourn and China Grove in 1891. The year 1892 brought many additions as the Cross Roads (Lennon's), Griffin's Cross Roads (Evergreen), Mount Tabor (Tabor City), Macedonia, Oak Dale, Piney Forest, Pleasant Hill and Smyrna were accepted. Then in 1894 Cheerful Hope, Cherry Grove and Porter Swamp became members. This association did not exist but eleven (11) years and so in 1899, the Cape Fear - Columbus Association was formed.

Those charter members were Bogue Chapel (which changed its name to Hallsboro in 1924); Cedar Grove, Cheerful Hope, Cherry Grove, China Grove, Lennon's Cross Roads, Macedonia, Mount Tabor (Tabor City), Mount Zion, New Hope, Oak Dale, Piney Forest, Pleasant Hill, Pleasant Plains, Porter Swamp, Smyrna, Sweet Home, Western Prong, White Marsh, Whiteville First and Williamson's Cross Roads. In 1903 Hinson's Cross Roads became a part, Boardman and Union Chapel in 1904, Corinth in 1905, Fair Bluff in 1908, Cerro Gordo and Evergreen in 1909, New Berlin (which changed its name to Delco in 1923) and Lennon's Cross Roads in 1911, Clarendon in 1915, Bolton in 1918 and Union Valley in 1934. Chadbourn and Gapway became members but no dates were given.

In the period before so many churches left the Cape Fear Association there was always a great interest in the annual meeting. Attendance was usually large and the sessions continued from Wednesday or Thursday until Sunday. Many delegates would attend from long distances, considering their means of travel. When the annual meeting was held near a railroad station some would come by train, but in many cases they came by horse and buggy starting the day before the meeting.

The attendance was large and the people started weeks ahead in preparing for the great number of visitors they expected. It took quite a number of pigs and chickens to feed so many. Many of the homes took more guests than they could take care of, but they were glad to have the privilege of entertaining the folds from other churches. Many times the church building would not hold half the crowd and overflow services were held under the trees in the church yard. Many who attended the association were greatly interested in religious services, of course, but the social features were an added attraction. Many of the churches complained if they could not have the associational meeting with their church every few years.

In 1936 the Columbus Baptist Association was formed with the following charter members: Antioch, Boardman, Bolton, Cedar Grove, Cerro Gordo, Chadbourn, Cheerful Hope, Cherry Grove, China Grove, Clarendon, Corinth, Delco, Evergreen, Fair Bluff, Gapway, Hallsboro, Hinson's Cross Roads, Lennon's Cross Roads, Macedonia, Mount Tabor (Tabor City), Mount Zion, New Hope, Oak Dale, Piney Forest, Pleasant Hill, Pleasant Plains, Porter Swamp, Smyrna, Union Valley, Waccamaw (Lake Waccamaw), Western Prong, White Marsh, Whiteville First and Williamson's Cross Roads.

These were followed by Sweet Home in 1940 and Union Chapel in 1941.

In 1949 we saw more interest in the denominational work, such as missions, orphanages, and education than was shown generations before.

Churches have continued to be admitted through the year. These included Iron Hill in 1950.

John T. Biddle came to serve as Superintendent of Missions on July 1, 1950.

Calvary bcame a part in 1951, Brunswick in 1952, Riegelwood in 1953, Forest Lawn in 1955 and Trinity in 1956.

Mr. Biddle resigned as Superintendent of Missions on June 18, 1956.

West Whiteville became a part in 1959.

Henry Powell became Superintendent of Missions on February 15, 1959 and served until July 15, 1961.

He was followed by Arch Cree who served from May 1, 1962 until June 1, 1967.

William Ross came to us on July 6, 1967.

In 1967 Cedar Grove completed a new brick structure, Antioch held its first Homecoming and Trinity began its prison Sunday School ministry.

In 1968 Whiteville First erected a library in February, and Macedonia was offered land for a parking lot on April 14. Also in this year, Oak Dale had land given in May, Sweet Home erected a new educational building and fellowship hall and Antioch observed its Golden Anniversary.

The year 1969 brought about the installation of air conditioning at Antioch and on October 19 Westside held a groundbreaking for a new building. On October 26 Trinity held a groundbreaking for a new sanctuary.

The happenings of 1970 included a note burning on June 13 for Brunswick.

Our Superintendent of Missions, Mr. Ross, resigned July 1, 1970.

We were fortunate in securing Hoyle Langford to become our Superintendent on August 15, 1970.

On August 31 Westside was constituted and became a member of the association. September 20 was the dedication date at Trinity for their sanctuary. November 22 brought the groubdbreaking services for Oak Dale's new sanctuary and on December 6 Clarendon held a groundbreaking for its present building.

In 1971 Faith was organized and became a member of the association, as well as Friendly Chapel.

The year 1971 was a giant stepping stone in the life of Columbus Baptist Association. Property and a house was bought for the associational office at 208 South Thompson Street, Whiteville at a cost of $10,000. Special cas gifts were received from Mount Zion, Union Valley, Pleasant Plains, Cherry Grove RA's, Marse Grant, Miss Lena Hughes and an anonymous donor.

The following items were donated: an occasional chair was given by J. A. Applewhite, drapes for the reception room and office were given by thr Trinity WMU, drapes for the conference room were given by New Hope; chairs for the conference room were given by Tabor City. The office desk was given by Whiteville First and a plant was given by Earl Edmunds.

Special services were given by Jack Hooks for legal work and S. P. Stanley gave the appraisal of property.

Those serving as trustees were Arthur Prince of Tabor City, Winfred Richardson of Fair Bluff and Cecil Stanley of Forest Lawn.

The following donated their time in remodeling the building. Gene Ezzell, Carl Hooks, Richard Skipper and Dave Norris of Trinity; Delma Ezzell, Duval Norris, Nathan Lee, Memory Evans, Larry Ezzell and Charles Blackmon of Brunswick; Grover Vaughan and James Leary of Faith; Ed Worley, Jimmy Lanehart and Martin Benton of Western Prong; Paul Johnson of Hallsboro; Walter Rhodes of Pleasant Hill and Colon Ezzell of Pleasant Plains.

When Open House was held, refreshments were served by the WMU Council.

Prior to the purchase of this building, the associational office was located in the home of the Superintendent of Missions at 419 South Franklin Street, Whiteville. The office was relocated in March, 1971.

Also happening in the association was the first service held in its new building at Oak Dale on June 27. Trinity opened a day care center on August 28. On December 12 Oak Dale held a cornerstone laying service.

In 1972 many things continued to happen in the churches. Sweet Home built a sanctuary and Clarendon dedicated its new building which was debt free in seven years. In April Pleasant Hill held its first service in its present sanctuary and Brunswick purchased land for a parsonage. In November Brunswick also purchase an organ and a public address system.

The year 1973 brought about the dedication of the educational building and note burning for Western Prong on January 28. Macedonia had a deed given on November 22 for land to be used as a fellowship hall. During the year Pleasant Hill was debt free of its sanctuary and Sweet Home purchased an organ and paino.

On November 17, 1974, Oak Dale held a note burning for its sanctuary. In November New Hope held a Centennial Program. The characters were descendents of charter members.

In 1975 the association gained another giant step forward. After returning from a mission trip to Ecuador, the Superintendent of Missions shared his vision of a special need there. A goal of $2,500 was set to

raise funds from our association to purchase a church lot there. This goal was surpassed by $1,000. Those churches participating in this mission endeavor included Bolton, Cedar Grove, Chadbourn, Cherry Grove, China Grove, Clarendon, Corinth, Delco, Evergreen, Fair Bluff, Faith, Hallsboro, Iron Hill, Lake Waccamaw, Mount Zion, New Hope, Oak Dale, Piney Forest, Pleasant Hill, Pleasant Plains, Porter Swamp, Riegelwood, Sweet Home, Tabor City, Trinity, Western Prong, Westside, Whiteville First, West Whiteville and Williamson's Cross Roads.

Also in 1975, $1,500 was given for remodeling the associational office.

Happenings in the churches included a tract of land given to Iron Hill, West Whiteville's completed sanctuary and Antioch purchased a new piano. In April Cerro Gordo's parsonage was completed and on November 26 Porter Swamp held dedication services for its new fellowship hall. On December 6 land was given to Macedonia for a new educational building. December 7 brought about the ordination of Neil J. Harrelson by Brunswick.

In 1976 the association voted to change from a two (2) day meeting in the Fall to one day in the Spring for inspiration and one in the Fall for taking care of business. The association was also debt free of the purchase of the associational building.

Happenings in the churches during this year included the educational building for Macedonia being completed, Western Prong remodeled its sanctuary, West Whiteville ereceted a steeple and Pleasant Hill purchased a new Baldwin piano. On June 6 Whiteville First dedicated its pipe organ. On August 26 Westside's educational building was debt free. In September Smyrna purchased land for an educational building and Trinity sold their parsonage. In October Antioch dedicated its new educational building and on October 23 groundbreaking services were held for new facilities at Bolton. December 26 saw Westside's parsonage debt free.

The year 1977 brought changes within the associational leadership. A World Missions Conference was held in February. Mr. Langford resigned April 30.

Among the churches, Delco decided to become full-time and build a parsonage, White Marsh's pews were covered, Williamson's Cross Roads' fellowship hall was built, Sweet Home constructed a new educational building, Riegelwood began a Senior Citizens group and Cherry Grove had the honor of ordaining Elmore Strickland to the Gospel Ministry. In May Pleasant Hill installed central air. August brought the re-location of Calvary and the building of its educational building.

On August 17 Walter Jones became Director of Missions for our association.

November 8 was an important day in the life of Clarendon Baptist Church when a noteburning service was held. Also during the year an addition was built on the church. November 22 was the day Bolton held its first services in its new building.

The year 1978 was filled with growth among the churches. Porter Swamp had a facial uplift, added padded pews and wainscoting. Sweet Home added

a paved parking lot and Cerro Gordo purchased a new organ. Bolton dedicated its new building on January 8 and sold the old building on March 18. Trinity held dedication services for its new sign on March 15. In June Brunswick sold its parsonage and the church exceeded its budget for the year over $16,000. In August Thomas and Kim Hinton of Trinity were off to Tanzania, East Africa as journeymen for two years. Antioch held groundbreaking services for its sanctuary on September 4. Faith dedicated their building on October 1 they had purchased from Calvary. At the October annual meeting Nakina was accepted into member of the association.

The year 1979 held its important events also. Hinson's Cross Roads remodeled its nursery and painted its church and parsonage, White Marsh purchased a new organ, Whiteville First covered their pews and a memorial garden was established, Pleasant Hill installed new capet in the sanctuary, while Lennon's Cross Roads completed its fellowship hall and Pleasant Plains dedicated a church library. March brought the completion of the Delco parsonage. On July 17 Bolton's steeple was erected and November 25 saw the ordaining of Dennis Phillips, Minister of Music, at Whiteville First, to the Gospel Minsitry. At the annual associational meeting in October Peace was accepted into our fellowship.

The year 1980 was filled with events in the churches. The association employed its first full-time office assistant. She was Wanda Thompson Horton. Events occuring included Chadbourn paying off an indebtedness of property, Faith installed heating and air as well as new lighting, Trinity purchased a new piano, Union Valley began a ministry to shutins, Westside bricked its building, White Marsh made improvements to its parsonage, Cerro Gordo dedicated a new brass Bible stand and candlesticks as well as several men from Trinity being recognized by Governor Hunt for their prison Sunday School ministry.

January 6 brought happiness to New Hope when it broke ground for its new educational building. Also in Janaury 6 Antioch held its first services in its new building.

January brought sadness to the Tabor City church when it was destroyed by fire. They did not sit still though and immediately began to remodel the old parsonage for the purpose of using it for offices. New construction of the educational building was begun soon.

In February Nakina purchased land for a new building. March brought to Delco its first full-time pastor, Dr. George N. Knight. On March 16 Antioch held dedication servces for its new sanctuary.

Delco held a noteburning service on June 29 for its new parsonage. Calvary's sanctuary was completed in October and Peace held dedication services November 9 for its new building. New Hope held dedication services for its new educational buidling on November 2.

In 1981 things were continuing to prosper all over the association. A special committee was formed to look into the future needs of our association.

A most impressive World Missions Conference was held February 22 - 29 with twenty-five (25) churches participating. They included Brunswick, Cerro Gordo, Chadbourn, Cheerful Hope, Cherry Grove, China Grove, Clarendon,

Corinth, Delco, Evergreen, Fair Bluff, Hinson's Cross Roads, Lake Waccamaw, Mount Zion, New Hope, Piney Forest, Pleasant Hill, Pleasant Plains, Riegelwood, Smyrna, Sweet Home, Tabor City, Trinity, Western Prong, and Whiteville First. The foreign missionaries included Robert Williams (Honduras), Mrs. Clarence (Ruth) Griffin (Indonesia), Doug Bryant (Ghana), Marvin Reynolds, (Botswana) and James Crittendon (Phillipines). The home missionaries were Ray Slaughter and Herbert Slaughter of West Virginia, Clyde Risen and Eugene Warrick of New Jersey and Terrell Moore of Ohio. Our state missionaries came from Baptist Hospital who sent Calvin Knight, Neal Peyton who works with our deaf and E. C. (Cleve) Wilkie who is cordinator of our cooperative effort with the West Virginia convention to build 200 churches by 1985.

Also Delco began the Deacon Ministry Plan, Union Chapel completed a new fellowship hall, bricked the church and added air and central heat, as well as a new vestibule. Union Valley began construction of a fellowship hall, White Marsh was happy to be debt free and West Whiteville covered their pews. On February 23 Williamson's Cross Roads organized WMU in their church. In the early morning hours of April 23 Cedar Grove lost its building to fire.

July brought a vision not experienced before when Riegelwood Church enlisted sixty-six (66) people to spend the week of July 13 - 17 in Kingwood, West Virginia constructing a church building, taking religious censuses and conducting Backyard Bible Clubs. This enthusiasm has certainly been caught up in the association and it is hoped that the summer of 1982 (July 12 - 16), will lead some 200 people to this vision also to participating in completing this building and minister in more ways. Members of several other churches participated in this mission endeavor. Their testimonies are over-whelming of what God did through them while they were there.

On September 20 dedication services were held for the new educational building at Tabor City. At the annual meeting in October a flag was commissioned to fly at the State Convention in November. This was designed by Dr. George N. Knight and made by Mrs. Dora Adams.

At the present time the association has six (6) Seminary Extension centers across the county with one being conducted in the local prison. Also serving in a prison capacity are three men (Charles Simmons, Bobby Fields and Carl Hooks) who rotate conducting worship services there on Sunday morning.

The lake ministry has proven very successful in that worship services are held each Sunday morning at Dupree Landing for the campers at Lake Waccamaw. Mrs. Sally Council has been so gracious as to let us use her facilities for many years.

There are over one hundred twenty-five (125) tutors and over two hundred (200) students have been taught to read and write since literacy work began. Mrs. Ruth Whitley leads this very important part of the missions endeavors.

Some of the most efficient and time-saving machiney the associational office has purchased in recent years have been a video machine and camera, tape duplicator, electric stenciler, new IBM typewriter with a memory bank and a calculator.

Our grand total membership now is 13,441, resident members are 9,934, Sunday School enrollment is 7,951, Church Training enrollment is 1,298, Brotherhood enrollment is 853, and the total on-going WMU enrollment is 1,857. Our budget for 1981-82 totaled $49,091. Our expenditures for 1980-81 totaled $47,365.14. The recorded values of church properties totaled $13,475,193. These figures were taken from the 1981 annual minutes.

Many of the facts used in preparing this history came from minutes of the Cape Fear-Columbus and Columbus Baptist Associational minutes from 1933, the history compiled in 1967, the Baptist Historical Collection at Wake Forest University, Winston Salem, associational church letters and church histories submitted from each church.

We are looking to 1982 and the future years for greater things to be accomplished through the Lord in our association, in our churches and in our individual lives.

We owe a debt of gratitude to those who have served us in our past years. Words are not adequate to say "thank you." As leaders of the future are growing in Christ daily, we covet your prayers that great visions of mission work continue to be shown us and that we might always be in our Saviour's will.

HISTORICAL TABLE OF ASSOCIATIONAL CONFERENCES

Year	Place	Moderator	Clerk	Sermon
1805	Saddle Tree	Abraham Baker	Samuel Buxton	
1806	Bear Marsh	Abraham Baker	Samuel Buxton	Job Goodman
1807	Seven Miles	Francis Oliver	Samuel Buxton	Job Thigpen
1808	Moore's Creek	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	Job Thigpen
1809	Chapel Run	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	Ezekiel Bryant
1810	Cape Fear	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	
1811	Nahungo	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	Job Goodman
1812	Ashpole	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	J. A. Ronaldson
1813	Thunder Swamp	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	William Wells
1814	Muddy Creek	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	Job Goodman
1815	Beulah	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	
1916	Bultail	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	Jacob Williams
1817	Ashpole	Job Goodman	Samuel Buxton	Issac Etheridge
1818	Limestone	Job Goodman	Allen Morris	David Thames
1819	Thunder Swamp	Job Goodman	Allen Morris	Job Goodman
1820	Nahungo	Job Goodman	Allen Morris	John Gornto
1821	Riley's Creek	Job Goodman	Allen Morris	Job Goodman
1822	Southwest	Job Goodman	Allen Morris	S. Reaves
1823	Bultail	Geroge Fennel	A. Morris	A. Morris
1824	Cedar Creek	George Fennel	A. Morris	
1825	Bear Marsh	Geroge Fennel	A. Morris	Jesse Rogers
1826	Saddle Tree	Job Goodman	A. Morris	A. Morris
1827	Ashpole	Job Goodman	Jas. McDaniel	
1828	Porter Swamp	Job Goodman	Jas. McDaniel	
1829	Saw Mill	Job Goodman	Jas. McDaniel	
1830	Saddle Tree	Job Goodman	Jas. McDaniel	
1831	Ashpole	Job Goodman	L. R. Simmons	
1832	Cross Roads	Solomon Reaves	L. R. Simmons	
1833	Bear Swamp	Chas. McAlister	Jas. McDaniel	
1834	Cape Fear	Chas. McAlister	Jas. McDaniel	
1835	Ebenezer	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	Robt. McNabb
1836	Fair Bluff	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	William Ayers
1837	Ashpole	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	Adel King
1838	Bear Swamp	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	David Thames
1839	Pleasant Grove	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	Elias Davis
1840	Cross Roads	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	J. F. McCall
1841	Seven Creeks	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	H. Lennon
1842	Beaver Dam	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	William Ayers
1843	Macedonia	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	J. C. Averitte
1844	Ashpole	Samuel Mims	Haynes Lennon	Furney Prevatt
1845	Bear Swamp		Haynes Lennon	Adel King
1846	Porter Swamp	John Smith	Haynes Lennon	F. Prevatt
1847	Cape Fear	John Smith	Haynes Lennon	W. Ayers
1848	Western Prong	John Smith	Haynes Lennon	Elias Davis
1849	Big Branch	John Smith	R. McDaniel	Z. Bullock
1850	Bear Swamp	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	Wm. Ayers
1851	Cedar Creek	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	Elias Davis
1852	Back Swamp	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	F. Prevatt
1853	White Marsh	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	G. W. Hill

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Year	Place	Moderator	Clerk	Sermon
1854	Spr. Branch (S.C.)	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	J. H. Cobb
1855	Big Branch	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	H. Lennon
1856	Cape Fear	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	F. Prevatt
1857	Cross Roads	Haynes Lennon	Ben Freeman	H. Lennon
1858	Ashpole	Haynes Lennon	Ben Freeman	D. B. Ayers
1859	Western Prong	Haynes Lennon	Ben Freeman	G. W. Hill
1860	Porter Swamp	Haynes Lennon	Ben Freeman	
1861	Antioch	Haynes Lennon	Ben Freeman	
1862	Pleasant Grove	Haynes Lennon	G. W. Hill	
1863	Cross Roads	Haynes Lennon	G. W. Hill	D. N. Gore
1864	Back Swamp	Furney Prevatt	G. W. Hill	R. W. Norton
1865	Bear Swamp (S.C.)	D. B. Ayers	G. W. Hill	R. W. Norton
1866	Ashpole	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	G. W. Hill
1867	Pleasant Hill	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	A. R. Pittman
1868	Mount Zion	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	E. D. Johnson
1869	Lumberton	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	D. N. Gore
1870	Pleasant Hill	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	H. Lennon
1871	Porter Swamp	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	J. W. Dickson
1872	Western Prong	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	A. R. Pittman
1873	Big Branch	H. Lennon	D. K. Bennett	D. K. Bennett
1874	Back Swamp	H. Lennon	D. K. Bennett	J. W. Dickson
1875	Bear Swamp (S.C.)	H. Lennon	D. K. Bennett	A. R. Pittman
1876	Cross Roads	H. Lennon	D. K. Bennett	D. J. Rau
1877	Mount Eilam	H. Lennon	D. K. Bennett	J. B. Richardson
1878	White Marsh	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	J. W. Dickson
1879	Ashpole	H. W. Dickson	G. W. Hill	T. F. Pritchard
1880	Western Prong	Haynes Lennon	G. W. Hill	J. F. McMillan
1881	Piney Grove (S.C.)	Haynes Lennon	G. W. Hill	J. W. Dickson
1882	Hickory Grove	Haynes Lennon	G. W. Hill	G. McManaway
1883	Mount Zion	E. W. Wooten	J. F. McMillan	
1884	Piney Forest	J. W. Dickson	C. D. Frink	D. J. Day
1885	Bogue Chapel	J. W. Dickson	G. W. Hill	J. F. McMillan
1886	Abottsburg	E. W. Wooten	G. W. Hill	A. D. Cohen
1887	Mount Pisgah	E. W. Wooten	G. W. Hill	E. W. Wooten
1888	Porter Swamp	E. W. Wooten	S. J. Porter	G. W. Hill
1889	Grittins Cr. Roads	E. W. Wooten	A. H. Porter	E. D. Johnson
1890	White Marsh	E. W. Wooten	A. H. Porter	F. F. Wooten
1891	Mount Pisgah	E. W. Wooten	A. H. Porter	A. H. Porter
1892	Shady Grove	E. W. Wooten	A. H. Porter	A. H. Porter
1893	Lebanon	E. W. Wooten	A. H. Porter	A. H. Porter
1894	Western Prong	G. W. Hill	D. H. Cook	G. W. Hill
1895	Shallotte	A. C. Meares	Isaac Jenrette	E. W. Wooten
1896	Mount Sinai	A. C. Meares	Isaac Jenrette	W. S. Ballard
1897	Pleasant Plains	A. C. Meares	Isaac Jenrette	J. A. Mintz
1898	Mount Zion	E. W. Wooten	H. Wyche	J. J. Adams
1899	Bogue Chapel	J. L. Memory	H. Wyche	J. G. Blalock
1900	Spring Branch	J. L. Memory	C. F. Ramsbottom	A. H. Porter
1901	Smyrna	J. L. Memory	A. H. Porter	J. J. Payseur

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Year	Place	Moderator	Clerk	Sermon
1902	Pleasant Plains	W. S. Ballard	A. H. Porter	J. G. Blalock
1903	Mount Zion	W. S. Bllard	A. M. Kelly	F. T. Wooten
1904	Cross Roads	W. S. Ballard	A. M. Kelly	F. T. Wooten
1905	Chadbourn	W. S. Balllard	J. H. Williamson	K. G. Blalock
1906	Livingston Chapel	W. S. Ballard	J. H. Williamson	A. H. Porter
1907	Sweet Home	W. S. Ballard	J. H. Williamson	W. S. Ballard
1908	Bogue Chapel	J. R. Williamson	F. L. Jernigan	F. T. Wooten
1909	Western Prong	J. R. Williamson	A. M. Kelly	S. B. Wilson
1910	Mount Tabor	J. R. Williamson	A. M. Kelly	A. H. Porter
1911	China Grove	W. C. Graham	J. J. Hendren	C. C. Smith
1912	Clarkton	J. R. Williamson	J. J. Hendren	J. M. Page
1913	New Hope	J. R. Williamson	A. M. Kelly	J. H. Poteet
1914	Cheerful Hope	J. R. Williamson	A. M. Kelly	F. T. Wooten
1915	Cerro Gordo	J. R. Williamson	J. J. Hendren	D. P. Bridges
1916	Fair Bluff	J. R. Williamson	J. J. Hendren	C. J. Thompson
1917	Bogue Chapel	R. D. Covington	J. J. Hendren	W. P. Campbell
1918	Whiteville	R. D. Covington	J. J. Hendren	
1919	Livingston Chapel	R. D. Covington	J. J. Hendren	I. T. Newton
1920	Porter Swamp	A. C. Chaffin	J. J. Hendren	A. C. Chaffin
1921	Macedonia	A. C. Chaffin	J. J. Hendren	W. Y. Quisenbery
1922	Mount Tabor	F. T. Wooten	W. A. Coleman	Hoyle Love
1923	Mount Zion	F. T. Wooten	I. T. Newton	W. B. Avery
1924	Bolton	F. T. Wooten	I. T. Newton	G. Van Stephens
1925	Cherry Grove	F. T. Wooten	J. J. Hendren	R. H. Satterfield
1926	Corinth	F. T. Wooten	J. J. Hendren	J. L. Martin
1927	Whiteville	F. T. Wooten	J. J. Hendren	F. T. Wooten
1928	Sweet Home	F. T. Wooten	Neil Thompson	B. P. Roach
1929	Hinson's Cross Rds.	F. T. Wooten	Neil Thompson	C. E. Maddrey
1930	New Hope	I. T. Newton	Neil Thompson	C. M. Pegram
1931	Fair Bluff	I. T. Newton	Neil Thompson	S. N. Lamb
1932	Western Prong	I. T. Newton	Neil Thompson	W. A. Coleman
1933	Hallsboro	I. T. Newton	Neil Thompson	C. V. Hooks
1934	Livingston Chapel	I. T. Newton	C. R. Hinton	R. J. Rasberry
1935	Cherry Grove	I. T. Newton	C. R. Hinton	C. R. Hinton
1936	Cerro Gordo	I. T. Newton	C. R. Hinton	T. S. Lawrence
1937	Mount Tabor	S. N. Lamb	R. B. Mallard	E. N. Johnson
1938	Pleasant Plains	S. N. Lamb	R. B. Mallard	D. G. Myers
1939	Whiteville	S. N. Lamb	R. B. Mallard	I. T. Newton
1940	Hallsboro	S. N. Lamb	R. B. Mallard	E. N. Johnson
1941	Chadbourn	S. N. Lamb	R. B. Rasberry	Winfrey Davis
1942	Evergreen	Winfrey Davis	R. B. Rasberry	G. Carl Lewis
1943	Clarendon	Winfrey Davis	R. B. Rasberry	G. M. Singletary
1944	Lennon's Crosss Rds.	Winfrey Davis	R. B. Rasberry	J. Byron Dosher
1945	Livingston Chapel	Winfrey Davis	R. B. Rasberry	E. Evans Unrich
1946	Hinson's Cross Rds.	Winfrey Davis	R. B. Rasberry	A. C. Preavatt
1947	Hallsboro	Winfrey Davis	E. Evans Unrich	B. G. Bass
1948	Evergreen	W. K. Beasley	P. C. Grantt	P. C. Melton

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1949	Oak Dale, Smyrna	S. W. Jolly	P. C. Grantt	R. C. Foster
1950	Porter Swamp			
	Cherry Grove	S. W. Jolly	P. C. Grantt	A. P. Stephens
1951	Mt. Tabor, New Hope			
	Fair Bluff	S. W. Jolly	P. C. Grantt	E. W. Glass
1952	Western Prong			
	Whiteville,			
	New Hope	R. C. Foster	Stanley Howard	
1953	Smyrna, Chadbourn			
	Pleasant Plains	Donald Keyser	B. G. Bass	C. E. Brisson
1954	Oak Dale,			
	White Marsh			
	Chadbourn	Donald Keyser	P. C. Grantt	I. V. Jones
1955	New Hope			
	Sweet Home,			
	Iron Hill	P. C. Grantt	Ronald E. Rice	S. W. Jolly
1956	Tabor City			
	Whiteville			
	Hallsboro	P. C. Grantt	Ronald E. Rice	Paul O. Batson, Jr.
1957	Western Prong			
	Piney Forest			
	Chadbourn	Bill Hooks	Clyde Watson	Ray Harris
1958	Whiteville			
	Cerro Gordo			
	Chadbourn	Wyatt Coley	Clyde Watson	S. M. Dorton
1959	Fair Bluff			
	Cherry Grove			
	Cerro Gordo	Wyatt Coley	Clyde Watson	Oscar Holland
1960	Evergreen			
	Waccamaw	S. W. Jolly	Clyde Watson	Eugene Walter
1961	Porter Swamp			
	Trinity	Billy Hooks	Claude Huggins	D. M. Spell
1952	Tabor City			
	West Whiteville	Billy Hooks	Claude Huggins	James H. Johnson
1963	New Hope			
	Riegelwood	J. B. Jones	Arch Cree	Leon Thomas
1964	Hallsboro			
	Western Prong	J. B. Jones	Arch Cree	E. W. Glass
1965	Chadbourn			
	White Marsh	Maurice Gilliam	Arch Cree	Francis Chesson
1966	Lennon's Cross Rds.	Maurice Gilliam	Arch Cree	Wayne Tyner
1967	Brunswick			
	Hinson's Cross Rds.	Ben Nesmith, III	J. William Ross	Charles Bullock
1968	Waccamaw			
	West Whiteville	Ben Nesmith, III	J. William Ross	Grady Cline
1969	Trinity			
	Fair Bluff	Grady Cline	J. William Ross	William J. Furr

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Year	Place	Moderator	Clerk	Sermon
1970	Cherry Grove	H. B. Whitley	H. E. Langford	D. T. Griffin
	Smyrna			Russell Cherry
1971	Cedar Grove			
	Williamson's Cross Rds.	H. B. Whitley	Mrs. J. C. Todd	Thomas H. Lambert
1972	Cerro Gordo	C. H. Pinner	Mrs. Cecil Gurkin	David J. Solomon
1973	Sweet Home			
	Forest Lawn	C. H. Pinner	Mrs. Madge Langford	S. C. Davis
1974	Chadbourn			
	Western Prong	Frank Neville	Mrs. Madge Langford	Hughet Godwin
1975	Tabor City			
	Evergreen	Frank Neville	R. F. Mickey	Gwen McCormick
1976	Porter Swamp			
	Riegelwood	Tom Ray	R. F. Mickey	Claire Baker
1977	Whiteville First			
	Oak Dale	Tom Ray	Mrs. Wanda Horton	Ray Justice
1978	Bolton			
	Macedonia	Henry Foster	Ms. Wanda Horton	Roy Parker
1979	Hallsboro			
	White Marsh	Henry Foster	Ms. Wanda Horton	Thad Prevatte
1980	Lennon's Cross Rds.			
	Hinson's Cross Rds.	Ed Worley	Ms. Wanda Horton	R. E. Carter
1981	New Hope			
	Antioch	Ed Worley	Ms. Wanda Horton	Sidney Britt
1982	Calvary	J. Wade Fowler	Ms. Wanda Horton	
	Fair Bluff	J. Wade Fowler	Ms. Wanda Horton	Brancie Stephens

SWEET HOME

Sweet Home Baptist Church had a humble beginning in a small one room building in the Bethel Community on the Josh Ward farm in about 1850.

The congregation later moved to the Mollie community to an old log school building in a field owned by Jim Ward located about one quarter mile from where the present church building is located. Services were held for only a short time in the school building. About 1887 a one room building was erected at the present site. In 1926 this building was torn down and a new sanctuary was constructed. About 1940, six (6) classrooms were added, the front was remodeled and some changes were made to the interior. New pews were added with carpet on the floor. A heating and air conditioning plant was also installed. For many years the church had preaching services one Sunday a month with a Saturday preceeding.

The church voted in 1951, the first time since its establishment, for half-time worship and pastoral work. The sanctuary was completely remodeled in 1963 and in 1964 the church voted for full-time pastoral work. The church became full-time in November, 1965, with Grover Faulk as pastor.

The new educational building was erected in 1968 with classrooms and fellowship hall included. In 1972 the new sanctuary was built. In 1973 there were several additions which included a new organ and piano being purchased, the parking lot was paved, a visitation program for witnessing was formed and carrying the Gospel to shut-ins was begun. A bus ministry, Children's Church and a Wednesday night service for children was begun in 1975, followed in 1976 with the deacon rotating system. Also in 1976, the bell towe was used from the steeple of the building. The new sanctuary and all church property was declared debt-free.

On April 13, 1977, the church authorized the building and grounds committee to proceed with the plans for the new fellowship building.

On June 27, 1978, the parking lot was repaved.

In 1978, the Woman's Missionary Union was organized in the church.

On January 16, 1980, a church council was formed.

Among those pastors having served Sweet Home Church are D. J. Ray, Sam Cains, Christenberry Milligan, Harmon Grainger, Demsey L. Hewett, John Cains, Walter Todd, S. A. Hatley, Philip Coats, Luther Stanley, Claude Horne, J. Robert Carter, W. C. Wescott, Ralph Johnson, Burris Carter, Clyde Prince, S. W. Jolly, Anson Smith, Grover Faulk and Richard Poynor.

TABOR CITY

The Mount Tabor Baptist Church was organized in 1838, located about one quarter mile from the present city limits on Old Stake Road.

In 1872 the church location was moved to a site on the grounds now occupied as Tabor City High School.

A frame building was completed in 1908 on the present site of the church.

In 1931 the first masonary building, housing an educational facility and sanctuary was built.

During the late 1940's, and continuing through 1955, a building program led to the prior church plant. During this year the name of the church was also changed to Tabor City Baptist Church.

There have been at least four (4) ministers who have come out of this church and one lay preacher.

One mission was organized from this church name the Tabor City Baptist Chapel which became Westside Baptist Church.

In January, 1980, fire destroyed this plant, but on September 20, 1981, dedicaton services were held for the new educational building.

Pastors of this church have included Joshua Soles, P. C. Milligan, G. F. Stanley, J. H. Harrelson, J. M. Page, E. J. Harrell, A. T. Rogers, W. R. Beach, B. S. Whitley, J. L. Martin, L. J. Keels, Wilbur Wall, C. R. Hinton, A. O. Anderson, Winfrey David, P. C. Gantt, J. H. Johnson, Henry Foster and Daniel Deaton.

COLUMBUS BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Annual Spring Meeting
Calvary Baptist Church
Tuesday, April 20, 1982
3:00 P. M.
Rev. J. Wade Fowler, Moderator

2:40	Registration	
3:00	Hymn No. 455	"We've a Story to Tell to the Nations"
3:05	Welcome	Rev. S. C. Davis
3:10	Responsive Reading and Meditation	
3:20	Recognition of new pastors	
3:25	Special Music	Rev. Herman Goodin
3:30	Speaker	Dr. Herman Hayes
4:15	Hymn No. 457	"Send the Light"
4:20	Nominating Committee Report	Charles Horne
4:25	West Virginia	Cameron Norris Mrs. Wayne (Margaret) Evans Terry Bryant Mrs. George (Betsy) Knight Dr. George Knight
5:05	Hymn No. 437	"Our Best"
5:10	Special Music	Mrs. Merlin (Gwen) Boone
5:20	Message	Dr. Herman Hayes
6:00	Prayer of Thanksgiving	
7:00	Pre-session Concert	
7:30	Hymn No. 41	"To God be the Glory"
7:35	Devotion	Rev. Jim Baldwin
7:45	Recognitions and Resolutions	Dr. Merlin Boone
7:55	Hymn No. 207	"Rescue the Perishing"
8:00	Message	Dr. Herman Hayes

PROCEEDINGS

1. The Annual Spring Meeting of the Columbus Baptist Association was held Tuesday, April 20, 1982 with Calvary Baptist Church. J. Wade Fowler, Moderator, presided.

2. The meeting was opened with the hymn, "We've A Story to Tell to the Nations".

3. The welcome was given by S. C. Davis, host pastor.

4. Delbert Muse, pastor of Cheerful Hope Baptist Church, was recognized as a new pastor.

5. Dr. Merlin Boone introduced the guest speaker, Dr. Herman Hayes, of the Foreign Mission Board.

6. The devotion was led by Dr. Boone. He used the responsive reading, "World Missions", led in quiet meditation and prayer.

7. Special Music was rendered by Herman Goodin, the Associational Music Director, who sang, "Follow Me". He was accompanied by Mrs. Waylon (Jean) Hammond.

8. Dr. Hayes brought an informative message. He revealed the Foreign Mission Board had 3,141 missionaries in 95 countries. He and his wife were the first missionaries to Viet Name in 1959. He told us the backbone in foreign mission work is pastors, church planters and general evangelists. These are also the most needed.

9. Mr. Goodin led in singing, "Send the Light".

10. Mr. Fowler brought the slate of officers from the Nominating Committee. Merlin Boone made the motion for its adoption. After a second from Phil Moore, the motion carried.

11. Dr. George Knight, Mrs. Betsy Knight, Mrs. Margaret Evans, Terry Bryant and Cameron Norris gave information about West Virginia. Mr. Norris conveyed the fact their church saw the vision for need their during the 1980 evangelism conference and that $30,000 was needed to complete this building this summer. There will be approximately 25 Backyard Bible Clubs held and a tent revival conducted. Mrs. Evans shared that those conducting the BBC gave small testaments to the children. Mr. Bryant revealed excitement as he told of the 66 people going last year and the miracles they saw. Mrs. Knight shared it was the first time she had ever had an experience of this type and she was thrilled to have the opportunity to reach out to people like this for Jesus Christ. They wanted so much to know who Christ is. Dr. Knight gave the challenge to "give and go", to use your money, time and talents. Ray Yarborough, a pastor who went to West Virginia in November, told of the wonderful time spent their and the blessings received. Dr. Knight shared that the group would be going this year the week of July 12-16 and gave some accomodations information. He told their would be brick laying, BBC, cooking, revial and surveying. Everyone could be involved in some sort of ministry.

12. Dr. Boone gave some information concerning Pennsylvania mission work.

13. The group was led by Mr. Goodin in singing, "Our Best".

14. Mrs. Gwen Boone rendered special music. Her selections included "Why Must I Die", "God's Plan", and "Precious Lord, Send Me."

15. Dr. Hayes brought to ur attention some very important facts concerning the Foreign Mission Board in his message. There are five (5) divisions. They are: overseas operations, human resources offices, communication office, financial office and management services. There are over 100 different vocational callings. The qualifications include your conversion, character, call, beliefs and credentials. The appointments are made for 4 year periods. A missionary journeyman is 26 years or under and can serve only a one - two year term. There are also special volunteer and medical employment. No missionaries are told to leave their country by the board.

16. The prayer of Thanksgiving was offered.

17. A pre-session concert was offered by Rev. J. P. Williams who sang, "My Soul in Sad Exile" and "How Great Thou Art". He was accompanied by Mrs. Rita Hinson. Mr. Goodin offered "Lonely Road Up Calvary's Way" and "Yield Your All, Jesus Died For All" which he wrote.

18. The congregation sang, "To God Be the Glory".

19. The devotion was led by Jim Baldwin. He used Mark 14:15-21 as his text and led in prayer.

20. The Resolutions Committee was represented by Mrs. Sally Council. A copy of this resolution is printed elsewhere in the minutes.

21. Dr. Boone, program chairman, recognized Charles Simmons and Bobby Fields for their prison ministry work.

22. Rev. Goodin led the group in singing the hymn, "Rescue the Perishing".

23. Dr. Hayes brought another informative message. He used John 3:16 as his scripture. We were told there are over 4 and one half billion people in the world and over 3 billion of them are unsaved. There are 4 basic needs: Pray for the Lord to send; Be willing to go if you can; Do all you can to see that your church provides missionary information for every individual and give as you have never given.

24. The group joined in singing, "Have Thine Own Way, Lord".

25. The benediction was rendered by John Stephenson.

Respectfully submitted,

Wanda Horton, Clerk

ANNUAL FALL ASSOCIATIONAL MEETING
Tuesday, October 19, 1982
Fair Bluff Baptist Church
J. Wade Fowler, Moderator

2:45	Registration	
3:00	Hymn No. 378	"Zion Stands with Hills Surrounded"
3:10	Welcome	Rev. Ray Lundy
3:10	Reocngition of new pastor	Rev. Wade Fowler
3:15	Special Music	Rev. Ray Lundy
3:20	Annual Sermon	Rev. Brancie Stephens
3:50	Hymn No. 141	"I Love to Tell the Story"
3:55	Missions Committee Report	Rev. Bervin Ferguson
4:10	Credentials Committee Report	Rev. Ray Justice
	Executive Committee Report	Bernard Lennon
4:25	Memorial Service	Mrs. Bertie Lanehart
4:30	Reports	
5:00	Homes for the Aged	
5:05	West Virginia	Rev. Brantley Stevens
5:10	Hymn No. 437	"Our Best"
5:15	Special Music	
5:25	Message	Rev. Tommy Payne
6:10	Prayer of Thanksgiving	Rev. Delbert Muse
7:00	Hymn No. 362	"Footsteps of Jesus"
7:05	Devotion	Dr. Ray Yarborough
7:15	Recognition of Special People	
7:25	Budget Report	Rev. John Stephenson
	Committee on Committees Report	Rev. Leon Lancaster
	Resolutions Committee Report	

7:30	West Virginia	Dr. George Knight
7:40	Special Music	
7:50	Message	Rev. Tommy Payne
8:30	Adjourn	

PROCEEDINGS

1. The One Hundred Seventy-Eighth Annual Fall Associational Meeting was called to order on Tuesday, October 19, 1982 at Fair Bluff Baptist Church at 3:00 P. M. by Moderator, J. Wade Fowler.

2. The congregation was led by Herman Goodin, Associational Music Director, in singing, "Zion Stands With Hills Surrounded".

3. A welcome to Fair Bluff Church was given by the host pastor, Ray Lundy.

4. Dr. Merlin Boone, Program Chairman, made a motion to adopt the program as printed. This was seconded and carried.

5. Dale Webb of Pleasant Plains was recognized as a new pastor.

6. Special Music was offered by Ray Lundy who sang, "Until Then".

7. Brancie Stephens brought the annual sermon. He used Luke 5:30ff as his text. Mr. Stephens reminded us of our stewardship of time and that we must cooperate with each other as church to church and as a body. He challenged us to break our nets as fishermen for Christ in Columbus County.

8. The congregation was led in singing, "I Love to Tell the Story".

9. Bervin Ferguson gave the Missions Committee Report. He expressed thanks to Willis Horton for his work in the lake and prison ministries, Mrs. Sally Council for permitting use of her facilities at the lake, Mrs. Ruth Whitley for her literacy work, Mrs. Robbie Bigford for the nursing home work, Ralph Gore for urging each church to have a missions committee and George Berry for his work with the handicapped. He made a motion for the adoption of this report. After a second, the motion carried.

10. Dan Deaton brought a recommendation from the Credentials Committee for North Whitevile Baptist Church to remain under the watchcare of our Association for another year. This was seconded and carried.

11. Bernard Lennon brought the Executive Committee Report. He recognized Dr. Ray Yarborough to speak to a seminar on November 9 entitled, "Fears, Feelings and Changes in Your Life". Mr. Lennon gave a motion for the adoption of this report. The motion received a second and carried.

12. The Memorial Service was led by Mrs. Bertie Lanehart who used I Corinthians 15: 50ff as her text.

13. The Nomating Committee was spoken to in regard to adding John Stephenson to the printed report.

14. John Stephenson made a motion to accept the resignation of Brancie Stephens as Brotherhood Director. This was seconded and carried.

15. John Stephenson made a motion to accept Jack Strickland as Brotherhood Director. This was seconded and carried.

16. The Sunday School Report was given by Richard Poynor.

17. Mrs. Faye Pierce gave highlights of the WMU year.

18. Mrs. H. R. Lane presented the Library report.

19. Maurice Gilliam reported 5 Seminary Extenion classes in progress.

20. Gene Hickman, Jr., reported the associational history had been completed and could be picked up at this meeting or the associational office.

21. Dr. Ray Yarborough gave the Annuity Board report.

22. Bob Carter reported for Evangelism.

23. Dr. Merlin Boone made a motion for the acceptance of these reports. This was seconded by Heman Goodin and carried.

24. Dr. Boone made a motion for an adjustment in the program. This was seconded and carried.

25. Brancie Stephens was recognized as Youth Worker for the association for 3 years.

26. Delma Ezzell was recognized as Treasurer of the association for 15 years.

27. Brantley Stevens reported 17 people had responded to the Christian Evangelism for West Virginia effort adopted by the Pastors' Conference. He gave a motion for the acceptance of this report. The motion carried after receiving a second.

28. Dr. Boone made a motion for an additional program change due to the Treasurer having to be absent from the evening session. This was seconded and carried.

29. Delma Ezzell gave the Treasurer's Report and a motion for the acceptance of this report. The motion carried after a second.

30. "Our Best" was rendered by the congregation.

31. Special Music was offered by Herman Goodin. He sang a beautiful song with a beautiful message entitled, "Open Your Heart".

32. Dr. Boone introduced the guest speaker.

33. Tommy Payne brought information concerning the Radio and Television Commission. He reported there were over 500 different Southern Baptist publications. He told us that trustees to the Commission could serve an 8 year term and there was only one elected from each Southern Baptist Convention state. They meet a total of 48 hours each year. The BIBLICAL RECORDER trustees met 6 hours per year until the past year. Some guidelines he gave that the BIBLICAL RECORDER should follow included not being one man's opinion, or the philosophy of one or several elite. It should provide information for the Baptist community, provide to people information back and forth, be a local, state and national link and be a message of hope. He then gave a question and answer period.

34. The Prayer of Thanksgiving was offered by Delbert Muse.

35. The evening session was opened with the hymn, "Footsteps of Jesus".

36. The devotion from II Corinthiasn 5 was given by Dr. Ray Yarborough.

37. The moderator recognized Walter Jones for his five (5) years of faithful service to Columbus Baptist Association as Director of Missions.

38. Phil Moore reported for the Time, Place and Preacher Committee that the next Fall Meeting would be held October 18, 1983 with Larry Knowles bringing the message and Elmore Strickland serving as the alternate.

39. John Stephenson presented the Proposed Budget and made a motion for its acceptance. Dr. George Knight gave a second and the motion carried.

40. Leon Lancaster brought the Committee on Committees Report and a motion for its acceptance. This was seconded by John Stephenson and carried.

41. Bob Carter brought a resolution from Brancie Stephens concerning school activities on Sunday and Wednesdays. Mr. Carter gave this a motion and their was a second. Dr. Ray Yarborough gave an amendment to the motion to delete the word "Principals" from the resolution. Bernard Lennon gave a second. Vote on the amendment carried as did the vote on the motion.

42. Bob Carter also reported for the Resolutions Committee for the hospitality extended to us from Fair Bluff. We extended a standing vote and a letter to the church is to be sent from the associational office.

43. Dr. George Knight gave an update on the West Virginia work. There are plans to go to Mineral Wells, West Virginia next summer. It is hoped that different churches will purchase specific items for the building such as doors, windows, pews, pulpit furniture, etc. There is also the need of money for the construction of the facility.

44. Special Music was rendered by the Cerro Gordo Choir. Selections included "All Because of God's Amazing Grace" and "It Is Well With My Soul".

45. Tommy Payne brought a second message about the Radio and Television Commission and presented a video presentation of some of the programs they hope to have in the future.

46. After a motion to adjourn, Phil Moore dismissed with the benediction.

Respectfully submitted,

Wanda Horton, Clerk

RESOLUTIONS

WHEREAS, the fine people and personable pastor of Calvary Baptist Church have extended to the messengers and guests to the April, 1982 session of the Columbus Baptist Association, a warm welcome and gracious hospitality, and;

WHEREAS, the Program Committee has planned and provided an agenda worthy of highest commendation;

THEREFORE, Be it resolved that we express sincere appreciation to Calvary Baptist Church, the Program Committee, the Program Personalities, and our Director of Misions by standing to our feet and saying, "Amen".

This resolution offered by Sallie W. Council for the Resolutions Committee.

WHEREAS, most of the Columbus Baptist Association's cooperating churches conduct Sunday and Wednesday night prayer meetings;

WHEREAS, many of the citizens of Columbus County are members of the Baptist churches;

WHEREAS, We, the churches of Columbus Baptist Association, wish to cooperate with the county and city educational systems;

WHEREAS, the Columbus County Ministerial Association adopted a similiar resolution October 6, 1982,

WE, the members of Columbus Baptist Association, request the county and city school systems respect our traditional worship times, restraining from planned school activities on Sunday and Wednesday. This would include faculty, athletics, and cultural events;

FURTHERMORE, that a copy of this resolution be sent to the Columbus County Superintendent and City Superintendent in this county.

Respectfully submitted,

Brancie Stephens
October 19, 1982

During the Annual Meeting of the Columbus Baptist Association, the following recommendation from the Baptist Pastors' Conference was adopted:

CHRISTIANS FOR EVANGELISTIC MISSIONS FOR WEST VIRGINIA

Purpose: To aid in the planting of new churches by prayer and financial support through the Columbus Baptist Pastors' Conference.

Covenant Relationship: To call those who are members of the Columbus Baptist Association's Churches to covenant their support in this objective with prayer and financial support of $5.00 per quarter per person.

A gift of $200.00 at one time would give you a life time membership.

A committee of five (5) within the Pastors' Conference shall be elected to oversee with the responsibility to carry out the spirit of this covenant.

On July 12 the Pastors' Conference voted that the following be the Administrators of the Covenant.

Brantley Stevens, Chairman
Jim McQuere
J. Wade Fowler
Walter Jones
Brancie Stephens

Hopefully, this will be a spiritual uplift for your pastor which in turn will be a spiritual uplift for your church.

Respectfully submitted,

J. Wade Fowler, Moderator

IN MEMORIAM

Antioch
- William Ward
- Eugene White
- Mrs. Ethel Ray

Bolton
- Mrs. Marie Jones

Brunswick
- Julius Thompson

Calvary
- Hazley Barnes
- Jim Graham
- Mrs. Irene Graham

Cerro Gordo
- Bobby Wallace
- Billy Floyd
- Bartley Stewart
- James M. (Jim) Wallace

Chadbourn
- Mrs. Nina M. Williamson
- Mrs. Luciele Edwards
- Mrs. Helen Bullard
- Mrs. Lonie R. Mercer

Cherry Grove
- Mrs. Bertie Worley
- Ms. Jenny Strickland
- Mrs. Paula Strickland
- Mrs. Evelle Strickland
- Dennis Strickland
- Liston Lovette
- Mrs. Emma Strickland
- Hosea Coleman (Deacon)

Clarendon
- Mrs. Bertha Simmons
- Mrs. Lora Fowler

Corinth
- G. T. Bullard (Deacon)

Delco
- Ernest Bordeaux

Evergreen
- Mrs. Letha Griffin
- Mrs. Winne Bass
- Truitt Bass

Fair Bluff
- Charlie Nobles

Forest Lawn
- Joseph Woods
- Rev. Reeves Cline
- Mrs. Lettie Faircloth
- Mrs. Eva Cox
- Mrs. Annie Lewis
- Mrs. Dizie Norris

Gapway
- Krista Coleman

Hallsboro
- Eva Mae Russ
- Alice B. Tedder
- Macie Hartzell
- Rosalie Powell
- Carrie Young

Hinson's Cross Roads
- Frank Haynes
- Colonel Jenkins
- Mrs. Janie Graham
- Benny Earl Haynes
- Howard Hilbourne
- Douglas Hilbourne

Iron Hill
- W. M. Ray (Deacon)

Lennon's Cross Roads
- Dewey Cain
- Roy Hedgepeth
- Garland David
- George Brown
- Kyle Williams
- A. P. McClary

IN MEMORIAM

Macedonia
- Mrs. Malsie Ellis
- Mrs. Elsie Faye Andrews
- Martin Reynolds, Sr.
- William E. Nance

Mount Zion
- Mary Elizabeth Atkinson
- Seth Adam Duncan (Deacôn)

Nakina
- Clayton Shackelford

New Hope
- Elroy Mercer
- H. L. James, Sr.

Oak Dale
- James C. Newman (Deacon)
- Inman Green
- Mrs. Ada S. Powers

Pleasant Hill
- Rev. Forrest Strole
- Dewitt White
- Leon White
- Mrs. Cordelia Fipps

Pleasant Plains
- Amanda Williams
- Irvin Williams
- Maggie Gore
- Veresia Jones

Porter Swamp
- Daniel Mincey (Deacon)
- Creston Griffin
- Mrs. Mary Stephens
- Owen Hinson
- Mrs. Lucy Mincey

Riegelwood
- James W. Bullock, Jr. (Deacon)

Smyrna
- Mrs. Lena Bryan
- Mrs. Mattie Goins
- Mrs. Ovella Merritt
- Mrs. Susie Woodell

Sweet Home
- Mrs. Viola Hardie
- Hilton Blackburn
- Bronnie Worley

Tabor City
- Mrs. Vera Fowler
- Dean Fonvielle
- Roy Fowler
- Clarence Long
- Mrs. Elwanda Cartrette
- A. G. Jernigan
- Mrs. Lucille Carter
- Rossie Spivey
- L. M. Currie
- Joe Woods
- Mrs. Gladys McCormick
- Mrs. Evelyn Leonard
- James Todd

Trinity
- Mrs. Mary Hill
- John Sibbett
- Homer Nance
- Mrs. Gladys Powell
- Albert Ward
- Curtis Ward

Union Chapel
- Mrs. Idella Carroll

Western Prong
- Forrest Callihan
- Carl Wooten
- Bobby Brewer
- Lawrence George
- Mrs. Sadie Watson

White Marsh
- Rufus Sellers
- Arthur Eason

IN MEMORIAM

Whiteville First
- Becky Burns Frazier
- D. L. Todd
- Richard Ray
- Yancey Thompson

Whiteville West
- Mrs. Alma Fisher
- Ralph Jordan
- Miss Kathryn Watkins

Williamson's Cross Roads
- Warren Williamson

NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT
1982 - 1983

Moderator	Rev. J. Wade Fowler (Corinth) 303 Pireway Road, Tabor City 653-3504
Vice-Moderator	Bernard Lennon (Lennon's Cross Roads) Route 1, Box 436, Evergreen 648-4636
Clerk	Ms. Wanda Horton (New Hope) Route 5, Box 99, Whiteviloe 642-2155
Treasurer	Mrs. Brenda Jolly (Hallsboro) P. O. Box 1095, Whiteville 646-3225
Sunday School Director	Rev. Richard Poynor (Sweet Home) Route 1, Box 131-A, Clarendon 653-3377
Church Training Director	Bobby Stanley (Clarendon) Route 1, Box 2, Clarendon 653-2925
Brotherhood Director	Jack Strickland (Hinson's Cross Roads) Route 1, Box 208, Cerro Gordo 654-4350
Woman's Missionary Union Director	Mrs. Faye Pierce (White Marsh) Route 2, Box 254-C, Whiteville 642-7250
Music Director	Rev. Herman Goodin (Cerro Gordo) P. O. Box 159, Cerro Gordo 654-5507
Church Library	Mrs. H. R. Lane (Faith) 220 North Franklin Street, Whiteville 642-3371
Evangelism	Rev. Hughet Godwin (China Grove) Route 1, Cerro Gordo 654-4814
Missions Committee	Rev. Bervin Ferguson (Forest Lawn) P. O. Box 693, Tabor City 653-9631
Finance Committee	Rev. John Stephenson (Western Prong) Route 1, Box 97, Whiteville 648-4746

Respectfully submitted: Robert Ford, Guy FormyDuval, Ed Worley and Charles Horne, Chairman.

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES
1982 - 1983

Credentials:
- *J. Parks Godwin (Bolton) '83
- Daniel Deaton (Tabor City) '84
- *Ray Justice (Trinity) '85

Missions
- George Knight (Delco) '83
- George Berry (Union Valley) '83
- Ralph Gore (Brunswick) '83
- *Edna Yates (Piney Forest) '84
- Mrs. Robbie Bigford (Riegelwood) '84
- Willis Horton (Western Prong) '84
- Bervin Ferguson (Forest Lawn) '84
- *Mrs. Ruth Whitley (Whiteville First) '85
- *Delbert Muse (Cheerful Hope) '85
- *R. F. Mickey (Lake Waccamaw) '85
- *Robert Buffkin (Gapway) '85

Finance:
- Herbert Swain (Bolton) '83
- Crowell Hinson (Sweet Home) '83
- Edgar Hinson (New Hope) '83
- John Stephenson (Western Prong) '83
- Peggy Stanley (Clarendon) '84
- Bill McRae (Riegelwood) '84
- Vollie Edwards (Cherry Grove) '84
- *C. D. Branch (Lennon's Cross Roads) '85
- *Billy Rushing (White Marsh) '85
- *Hubert McCleney (Piney Forest) '85

Ordination:
- Graham Ellis (Hinson's Cross Roads) '83
- Larry Knowles (Riegelwood) '84
- Roy Walker (Whiteville First) '84
- *Robert Allen (Westside) '85
- *Daniel Deaton (Tabor City) '85

Library:
- *Mrs. Sandra Weavil (Western Prong) '83
- Mrs. Johnnye Burleson (Trinity) '84
- *Mrs. H. R. Lane (Faith) '85

Evangelism:
- R. E. Carter (Clarendon) '83
- Jack Strickland (Hinson's Cross Roads) '84
- Hughet Godwin (China Grove) '84
- Vernon Williamson (Antioch, Macedonia) '84
- *Ray Lundy (Fair Bluff) '85

Time, Place and Preacher:
Elmore Strickland (Westside) '83
Robert Duncan (Oak Dale) '84
*Jim Baldwin (Pleasant Hill) '85

Resolutions:
Mrs. Nancy Marlowe (Sweet Home) '83
S. C. Davis (Calvary) '84
*Mrs. Elaine Blake (Chadbourn) '85

Nominating Committee:
Guy FormyDuval (Nakina) '83
Ed Worley (Western Prong) '84
*Phil Moore (Lennon's Cross Roads) '85
*Harold Hughes (Faith) '85

Constitution:
Tom Ray (Trinity) '83
Sankey Robinson (Whiteville First) '84
*Sidney Britt (Mount Zion) '85

Seminary Extension:
George Knight (Delco) '83
Brantley Stevens (Piney Forest) '83
Maurice Gilliam (Hallsboro) '84
Leo Ward (Chadbourn) '84
*Dale Webb (Pleasant Plains) '85
*Merlin Boone (Cherry Grove) '85

Trustees:
Gene Ezzell (Trinity) '83
Royce Butler (Nakina) '84
*Keith Blake (Chadbourn) '85

Building and Grounds:
Cleveland Baker (Bolton) '83
Malcolm Mills (Sweet Home) '84
*Boyd Thompson (Calvary) ;85

Program:
Tommy Norris (Sweet Home) '83
Merlin Boone (Cherry Grove) '84
*Mrs. Thetus Hughes (Lake Waccamaw) '85
*Ward Shaw (Piney Forest) '85

Special Building Committee:
John Stephenson (Western Prong)
Larry Knowles (Riegelwood)
Allen Price (Whiteville First)
Robert Shaw (Evergreen)
Beasley Strickland (Cherry Grove)

Memorials:
*Mrs. Bertie Lanehart (Western Prong) '83

Baptist Colleges:
*J. C. FormyDuval (Nakina) '83

Baptist Children's Homes:
*Ms. Ruby Spivey (Chadbourn) '83

Homes for the Aged:
*Larry Ezzell (Brunswick) '83

Christian Life Council:
*Travis Newton (Smyrna) '83

Baptist Hospital:
*Robert Shaw (Evergreen) '83

Deacons' Representative:
*Ray Yarborough (New Hope) '83

Annuity Board Representative:
*David Anderson (Faith) '83

Cooperative Program:
*John Stephenson (Western Prong) '83

Christian Social Ministries:
*Paul Hill (Lake Waccamaw) '83

Denominational Literature:
*Paul Morrow (Peace) '83

Youth Representative:
*Tom Carringer (Trinity) '83

Churchmanship Representative:
*R. E. Carter (Clarendon) '83

Pastor and Staff Self Enrichment:
*Dennis Bazemore (Chadbourn) '83

Respectfully submitted; O'Neal Myers, Brantley Stevens, Harold Hughes, Mary Miller and Leon Lancaster, Chairman.

FINANCIAL REPORT
OCTOBER 1, 1981 - SEPTEMBER 30, 1982

Receipts:		
Balance, October 1, 1981	$ 3,048.56	
Rec'd from Churches	41,732.95	
Rec'd for Interest - CD	600.00	
Rec'd from Dept. of Revenue	218.76	
Survival Kits for West Virginia	100.00	
From CD	3,607.35	
Christian Evangelism for W. Va.	1,060.00	
Pastors' Seminar	200.00	
Payroll Tax Refund	25.65	
Library	75.00	
Building and Grounds	100.00	
Missions	1,549.98	
Total Receipts		$ 52,318.25
Disbursements:		
Salary, Director of Missions	10,500.00	
Salary, Office Assistant	8,706.31	
Salary, Treasurer	100.00	
Salary, Clerk	100.00	
Secretary's Insurance	369.22	
Convention Expense	1,200.00	
Retirement	1,234.94	
Travel	4,336.80	
Housing	5,476.80	
Omsiramce	2,932.32	
Social Security for Secretary	573.16	
Federal Withholding Tax	(- 39.13)	
N. C. Withholding Tax	29.93	
Travel - Office Assistant	400.00	
Sunday School	122.80	
Church Training	27.50	
Brotherhood	86.78	
WMU	290.00	
Evangelism	538.96	
Visiting Speakers	220.51	
Library	122.88	
Seminary Extension	1,610.86	
Key Leadership Conference	300.00	
Youth	12.75	
Literacy	69.83	
Prison	(- 6.41)	
West Virginia project	(- 300.00)	
Lake Ministry	(- 64.18)	
Office Supplies	5,917.02	
Postage	1,223.87	
Equipment	830.50	
Repairs on Building and Equipment	25.93	
Insurance on Building	103.00	

Lights and Water	537.29	
Telephone	1,394.13	
Heating Fuel	782.86	
Contigency Fund	506.05	
Printed Checks	39.40	
Total Disbursements		50,312.68
Balance, September 30, 1982		$ 2,005.57

CONTRIBUTIONS

OCTOBER 31, 1981 - SEPTEMBER 30, 1982

CHURCH	AMOUNT	CHURCH	AMOUNT
Antioch	175.00	Boardman	00.00
Bolton	450.00	Brunswick	568.29
Calvary	408.00	Cedar Grove	551.24
Cerro Gordo	1,366.10	Chadbourn	1,133.32
Cheerful Hope	639.00	Cherry Grove	1,331.14
China Grove	200.00	Clarendon	600.00
Corinth	150.00	Delco	1,411.13
Evergreen	1,000.00	Fair Bluff	1,200.00
Faith	464.50	Forest Lawn	375.00
Friendly Chapel	150.00	Gapway	00.00
Hallsboro	1,200.00	Hinson's Cross Roads	425.00
Iron Hill	200.00	Lake Waccamaw	650.00
Lennon's Cross Roads	1,275.00	Macedonia	200.00
Mount Zion	145.00	Nakina	300.00
New Hope	2,425.21	Oak Dale	200.00
Peace	200.00	Piney Forest	400.00
Pleasant Hill	1,264.10	Pleasant Plains	200.00
Porter Swamp	818.14	Riegelwood	2,986.00
Smyrna	2,077.34	Sweet Home	00.00
Tabor City	2,600.04	Trinity	4,540.50
Union Chapel	21.90	Union Valley	450.00
Western Prong	2,287.00	Westside	600.00

CONTRIBUTIONS

OCTOBER 31, 1981 - SEPTEMBER 30, 1982

CHURCH	AMOUNT	CHURCH	AMOUNT
White Marsh	425.00	Whiteville First	2,938.00
Whiteville West	172.00	Williamson's Cross Roads	500.00
North Whiteville	60.00		

Grand Total Contributions $ 41,732.95

PROPERTY OF
COLUMBUS BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1 Secretary's Desk and Chair
2 IMB typewriters
1 stuffed chair
1 office desk
3 folding tables
24 metal chairs
1 large screen
1 metal storage cabinet
1 "Tell" Equipment
1 mimeograph machine
3 filing cabinets
1 folder
1 electric stencil maker
1 fireproof vault
3 staple guns
2 perculators
1 tape recorder
1 carousel projector
1 tape duplicator
1 video machine
1 camera
1 binder

2 office chairs
2 tape files
2 metal book cases
1 filmstrip file
1 coat rack
1 Bell and Howell projector
1 speaker
1 overhead projector
2 slide projectors
1 vaccum cleaner
1 paper cutter
2 hole punchers
1 light
1 record player
2 copiers
1 water cooler
1 office table
2 carousel trays
24 box file folders
17 book transfer files
1 color television set

COLUMBUS BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Financial Statement
Year Ending Sept. 30, 1982

CURRENT ASSETS:

Cash on Hand (10-1-82 Checking Account)		$ 2,005.57
Resort Ministry Savings 10-1-81	$ 1,008.00	
Interest Income	66.93	
Less Tsfr. to Checking	(1,074.93)	
Balance		-0-
Savings Acct. (C.D. with U.C.B.)	13,435.56	
Unreported Interest Income	1,171.79	
Less Tsfr. to Checking	(3,607.35)	
Net C.D. w/ U.C.B. 7-2-82		11,000.00
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS		$ 13,005.57

FIXED ASSETS:

Office Building	21,982.87	
Furniture and Equiptment	16,396.54	
Lake Ministry Equipment	1,400.00	
Office Supplies	5,587.50	
TOTAL FIXED ASSETS		45,366.91
TOTAL ASSETS		$ 58,372.48

LIABILITIES:

West Virginia Pastors' Relief	1,060.00	
West Virginia Project	300.00	
Lake Ministry	64.18	
TOTAL LIABILITIES		1,424.18
NET WORTH		56,948.30
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET WORTH		$ 58,372.48

PROPOSED BUDGET
1982 - 1983

I. SALARIES

Director of Missions	$ 11,000.00	
Office Assistant	8,940.00	
Treasurer	120.00	
Clerk	100.00	$ 20,160.00

II. ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE

Convention Expense	1,500.00	
Retirement	2,500.00	
Travel	4,587.00	
House and Utilities	5,727.00	
Hospitalization and Insurance	2,200.00	
Secretary's Insurance	391.00	
Secretary's Social Security	500.00	
Travel for Office Assistant	600.00	18,005.00

III. EDUCATIONAL AND PROMOTIONAL

Sunday School and VBS	600.00	
Church Training	300.00	
Brotherhood	600.00	
WMU	400.00	
Church Music	250.00	
Evangelism	600.00	
Visiting Speakers	400.00	
Library	125.00	
Seminary Extension	350.00	
Deacons' Retreat	400.00	
Key Leadership Conference	360.00	
Youth	200.00	
Missions	600.00	5,185.00

IV. OFFICE OPERATIONS

Office Supplies	4,000.00	
Printing	700.00	
Utilities	3,500.00	
Equipment	1,000.00	
Insurance	250.00	
Contingency Fund	800.00	10,250.00
Grand Total		$ 53,600.00

Respectfully submitted: John Stephenson, Chairman; Earl Ward, E. L. Rabon, C. D. Branch, Herbert Swain, Crowell Hinson, Edgar Hinson, Peggy Stanley, Bill McRae, Vollie Edwards.

CLERK REPORT

A dream has been realized this year in the up-dating of the Associational history. It has been a long time in completion, but it is something we should all be proud of.

Thanks are expressed to Mrs. Edna Buffkin of Pleasant Hill for serving on the committee.

A very special thanks go to Gene Hickman, Jr., of Lennon's Cross Roads who served as chairman of the committee.

Rev. Maurice Gilliam of Hallsboro made the pictures of the churches.

The First Baptist Church of Whiteville played a tremendous part in doing the off-set work. Thanks go to Mrs. Sue Wilson and Mrs. Etta Brownell, the secretaries, who gave so much in their time and patience.

There were those that helped coalate the completed product. They included Mrs. Dixie Wright of Forest Lawn, Mrs. Thelma Horton of White Marsh and the following ladies from New Hope. Mrs. Lois Tedder, Mrs. Evelyn Clewis, Mrs. Lou Tyree and Mrs. Jessie Shelley. This was a very important service rendered and it is greatly appreciated.

Let me express my thanks to the clerks and church history committees who furnished the information published in this history.

To everyone who had any part in making this book a reality, please accept my thanks. It was a great undertaking, but it's been interesting, fun and work. Please overlook any mistakes that may appear.

In His Service,

Wanda Horton
Clerk

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

During the past year the Associational Sunday School conducted:

1. A Pastor/Director Planning Workshop (6 churches represented with 21 present).

2. Two Vacation Bible School Clinics, one at Bolton and one at Chadbourn.

3. On April 13 and 15 the ASSIST TEAM (Associational Sunday School Improvement Support Team) went to Calvary Baptist Church, Whiteville, to teach the "Guiding" series book study. Besides ASSIST, six pupils turned out.

4. At the Key Leadership Conference at First Baptist Church of Whiteville, 23 conferees attended representing 14 churches. This group has helped us to project the program of the 1982-83 year.

5. Our best attended meeting was recently held at the Peace Baptist Church o Whiteville. With 12 churches represented and 52 in attendance, Associational Sunday School Night was observed.

With the recent completion of the 1982-83 ASSIST we look forward to serving the churches of the Columbus Baptist Association. This team of dedicated Sunday School workers is as follows:

Sunday School Director	Richard Poynor
Adult Director	Dr. C. Ray Yarborough
Youth Director	Tom Carringer
Children's Director	Travis Newton
Preschool Director	Betty Greene
Outreach Director	Paul Hill
Vacation Bible School Director	Charles Simmons
Teaching Improvement Training Director	Brantley Stevens
Homebound Leader	Dale Webb

ASSIST and its members are available as a ream or as individuals to help your church develop its Sunday School program, improve its teaching, enlarge its enrollment and outreach, and to train Sunday School leaders and teachers.

Respectfully submitted,

Richard Poynor

SEMINARY EXTENSION REPORT

Approximately 11,000 students in the United States and in many foreign countries constitute the student body of Seminary Extension, a continuing education ministry of the six seminaries of the Southern Baptist Convention.

Courses are offered on two academic levels: the Basic Series, non-college leverl; and the College-level Curriculum Series. For the successful completion of sixteen courses, which satisfies the requirement for the program selected, the student is awarded a diploma. Three diploms programs are offered: Diploma in Pastoral Ministires, Diploma in Educational Ministries, and Diploma in Biblical Studies.

The Columbus Baptist Association has five centers in operation: Hinson's Cross Roads, Delco, Prison Camp, Southeastern Community College, and Nakina. Courses being taught this fall are in Bible, Theology, and Christian Education. When a crouse is successfully completed, a certificate is awarded the student by Seminary Extension.

Perhaps never before, as required by today's demands, has the churchman been in need of this type training in order to be an effective servant of Jesus Christ; therefore, we urge you to sharpen your skills and gifts as a servant of Christ by taking advantage of the training offered by your Seminary Extension ministry.

Respectfully submitted,

Maurice H. Gilliam

MEDIA CENTER/LIBRARY REPORT

We have had a total of 15 hours training this year.

On Friday evening, November 25, 1981, 7:00 to 9:30, using the book "How To Process Media" as a guide, we processed about 30 books for the associational library, which were donated by Rev. Walter Jones. We had some beginners in our group and we all learned from this experience.

Thursday evening, February 11, 1982, we sponsored a CHURCH HISTORY Clinic for church historians, church clerks and media workers, which was led by Mr. John Woolard, Director of the Baptist Historical Collection, Wake Forest University. This clinic was well attended and we received much helpful information for those interested in writing their church history.

Miss Hila Mayo, who recently retired from many years service in the Library Department of the Baptist Sunday School Board, Raleigh, taught the book "The Learning Team: The Learner, The Leader and The Library", by Keith Mee, on Friday evening, March 12, and Saturday morning, March 13. This was a 5 hour study and very helpful for all media workers.

Mrs. Violet Garrell attended the Bold Missions Conference at Ridgecrest, representing the Media Services Department, and returned with the latest information on media work and the new Computerized Study Course Plan, which is to begin October 1, 1982. This information was passed on to the group at the Interpretation Clinic at First Baptist Church, Whiteville, the evening of June 1, 1982.

On June 18, 7:00 to 8:30 P. M. we studied the book, "Media on the Move, Reaching Out With Resources", by Wayne E. Todd, C. Keith Mee, Jacquelyn Anderson and Wanda Lineberry.

For the Kingwood Southern Baptist Mission, we processed ready to be put on the shelf, 112 books, which included about 35 new books, and other good books donated by Rev. Walter Jones, Mrs. Emily Peal and the associational media group. This collection included the Dewey Decimal Classification guide, Sears List of Subject Headings, and all other instruction books which will enable them to add to their library; also, catalog cards and a card file for present and future use.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. H. R. Lan

WMU

The WMU calendar year begins with the Associational Director taking part in Key Leadership on the associational level in May as they attend Ridgecrest.

Key Leadership is held in June to prepare/motivate all associational leaders for the coming year. Frances McCraw (1980-81) and Faye Pierce (1981-82) associational directors led the conference, with twelve WMU directors attending the WMU conference.

In September, WMU leaders/assistants attended two "Get-Ready" Conferences. They were held at Bolton (60 attending) and Chadbourn (102 attending).

On November 7, a "Life-Style" Evangelism (Mission Action) workshop was held at White Marsh. Mrs. Nell Bruce, Winston Salem, N. C. led the workshop (60 attended).

The Brotherhood/WMU held three activities during the year.

A Pastor Banquet was held at West Columbus Cafeteria, Cerro Gordo on November 9.

On November 19, Foreign Mission Study was held at Western Prong. Mr. and Mrs. Willis Horton (Western Prong) was in charge, twelve churches represented.

The Home Mission Study was held at Hallsboro, February 25. Mr. and Mrs. James Lanehart (Western Prong) and Miss Jackie Fleming (White Marsh) was in charge of the study. Dr. George N. Knight (Delco First) gave an up-date on West Virginia with special music by Mike Knotts (Union Valley). Ten churches represented.

During WMU "Focus Week" February 14 - 20, the Baptist Women/Baptist Young Women held on the 18th a church credit study, "The Gifted Woman I Am" at New Hope. Mrs. Gayle Powell (Whiteville First) was the teacher. (66 attended).

On the 20th a prayer breakfast was held at the Todd House, Tabor City. (70 attended). Mrs. Lynn Talley, N. C. Starteam member was the guest speaker.

The BW/BYW held a prayer retreat May 8 - 9, N. C. Baptist Assembly, Caswell. The theme was "Available " - "Power". On program were Miss Freddie Neal, N. Augusta, S. C. an evangelist in drama/monologist, Rev. Brancie Stephens (Hinson's Cross Roads), Robbie Bigford (Riegelwood), Kathy Baker (Cherry Grove), Pauline Berry (Union Valley), Norma Meadows (Trinity) and Jackie Fleming (White Marsh). Gwen Boone (Cherry Grove) and Ramona Lord (New Hope) led in the music.

The Mission Friends held the first "MF Day Camp" in Columbus Baptist Association May 1, 1982 at Trinity. Katherine Green (Cedar Grove) Director. Doris Corbett (Tabor City) Asst. Director. Taking part on program were Nadine Hooks (Trinity), Cindy Miller (Hinson's Cross Roads), Karen Green (Tabor City), Lois Tedder (New Hope) and Ann Hinson (Cedar Grove).

The GA's held their Day Camp at New Hope on April 17. Mrs. Ruth Martin, Pembroke University was the guest speaker. Others taking part on program were Linda McLam (New Hope), Jan Poynor (Sweet Home), Pam Yarborough (New Hope), Virginia Buffkin (Pleasant Hill), and Ramona Lord (New Hope). I understand from the GA Director, Bobbie Bass, Rev. Ray Yarborough, and the day was just fantastic. Eighteen churches represented with 191 attending.

The Acteens held a "Sharing" Banquet on April 2 at Cerro Gordo. Edward Walker (Whiteville First) was the guest speaker. Special music by "All God's Children". Twelve churches represented with 81 attending.

The following officers in charge; President - Teresa Blackwell (New Hope); Vice-President - Edie Canup (Union Valley); Secretary - Teresa Clewis (Union Valley).

New officers for 1982-83 elected -
President - Edie Canup (Union Valley)
Vice-President - Amy Thompson (Lennon's Cross Roads)
Secretary - Crystal Lennon (Lennon's Cross Roads)

The Seventy-Second WMU Annual Meeting was held March 30 at Lennon's Cross Roads. Guest speaker for the afternoon session, Mrs. Betty Prince, Wilmington, N. C. - the Home Mission Board. During the evening session Rev. Cleve/Nancy Wilkie, Kinston, N. C. - N. C. coordinator of the West Virginia project was the guests speakers. Dr. George N. Knight (Delco First) showed slides of the Columbus Baptist Association's involvement in the West Virginia project. Kathy Baker (Cherry Grove) and Frances McCraw (Trinity) brought the devotion. Gwen Boone (Cherry Grove) presented a message in song at both sessions.

Two scholarships were given. Miss Joyce Lennon (Lennon's Cross Roads) and Mr. Joey Austin (Trinity).

During the year the WMU promoted the following projects on the asosciational level.

1. Ten smocks for N. C. Baptist Assembly - Caswell.
2. Contributed to the prison unit at Brunswick.
3. Correctional Center for Women at Raleigh.
4. WMU Tour - World's Fair, Knoxville, Tenn.
5. Pastors/Wives Retreat - Caraway.

On July 25, 9:00 A. M. - 4:00 P. M. Associational Council director/assistant attended a state workshop at Whiteville First. This workshop is conducted by state leaders. Eleven associations in the Southeastern part of the state takes part in this training session. In August five (5) council members attended WMU Week at Ridgecrest.

The Associational Director/Assistant attended the WMU State meeting in Greensboro.

The WMU Director attended one day at the State Evangelism meeting in Greensboro.

For the Council/Directors to be new this year, they have put a lot of time and work in WMU. We have tried to keep missions before you plus supporting prayer.

If we make ourselves available, we will become involved. We need to be accountable of our time/monies. In doing this we will be committed to "Life-Changing Committment". As we grow in Missions I ask you to pray/support your WMU/associational programs. We must be willing to reach out for missions to be effective.

Respectfully submitted,

Faye S. Pierce

"...also I heard the voice of the Lord, saying, whom shall I send, and who will go for us? Then said I, Here am I, Send Me". Isaiah 6:8

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Mrs. Archie Marlowe
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LAKE MINISTRY REPORT

DEPOSITS:		
On Deposit 4-82	$ 1,074.93	
Deposit	70.70	
Deposit	88.00	
Deposit	131.02	
Deposit	26.22	
Total Deposits		$ 1,390.87
EXPENSES:		
Organ, Amplifier and Cabinet	1,169.12	
Stool	13.00	
Backyard Bible Club Expenses	16.58	
Total Expenses		1,198.70
Balance 9-30-82		$ 192.17

There was also a donation in material of $37.53

Respectfully submitted;

Willis Horton

DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS REPORT

This past year has been a most unusual year. I was privileged to be in thirty-five of our churches. It was my good privilege to preach in twenty-five of the churches, teach or speak in several and visit others.

It has also been my privilege to work with several of our churches and their search committees as they have sought new leaders as pastors and other personnel changes during this year. Currently only three of our churches are without pastors.

There have been many exciting events taking place this past year. "Here's Hope" may not have reached all of its goals, but when you rode by a church and the sign "Here's Hope" was on the bulletin board, it said to the world, the church is still in the business of proclaiming God's message. It may be that some of the professions of faith that are showing up this fall are results of the Here's Hope efforts made in 81-82.

Certainly if nothing rlse can be said for 81-82, there have been some signs of growth on the horizon. Church Training, under the leadership of Mr. Bobby Stanley and Rev. Jim Baldwin, his asssistant, and their co-workers led out in three associational programs last year in which qualified leaders came in and taught us how to have better Church Training programs in the local church. Brother Baldwin taught a class on the Survival Kit. Right now the Church Training department is fully staffed and are ready to be of assistance to any church who needs help.

The Sunday School ASSIST Team has every position filled. We are looking for some great things to come out of this group. We have had class demonstrations for our Baptist Men and Royal Ambassador leaders and hopefully we are ready to move out and accomplish some great things in this area. Mrs. Faye Pierce has really given time in preparing her ladies to be more mission minded.

Those who helped us in our Key Leadership Conference at the First Baptist Church did a marvelous job gleaning from their participants the help they needed and what they would support.

Rev. Brancie Stephens planned the RA Counselor and Brotherhood program for October 18 with this in mind. A new center for Seminary Extension was opened to meet a need in September. Prior to this, last spring our moderator taught a class down below Nakina at the request of some of our Black Christian friends and now has a class going this Fall.

The Church Growth I spoke of earlier is showing up in several ways.

1. Our pastors and some of our deacons took a course taught by Dr. Frank Crumpler of the Home Mission Board.
2. Some of our churches are showing a numerical growth.
3. New Sunday School classes are being started.
4. Our Church Training organization is employing the use of more special training - modules, etc.
5. We have more requests for help in starting new units in the RA program.
6. Our WMU, during its Get-Ready Conference took the time to interview several of our agencies that are helping minister to those who have special needs in the

community to find out how we may help. I had an opportunity to help make slides and borrow some so they could give a visual picture of the help needed by these agencies.

I learned much while visiting the agencies.

1. I saw where we, as an association, have the human resources to do more in our community than we are doing. It made me realize more keenly that our church facilities ought to be open more for the purpose of ministering. The opportunity to minister to these needs gives opportunity to witness, win and evangelize.
2. A list of these agencies will help many of us appreciate the way our community agencies serve us. Most of those employed in these agencies possess a great spiritual dimension and serves as some of God's chosen people.

There are many who helped me immensely this year. Our Associational Council - A Director of Missions cannot function without good help. They have helped me in ways too numerous to mention; committee members selected for special tasks, the officers of the association. I have had the good fortune to have worked with the moderator and vice-moderator who talk with me weekly about our work and who have encouraged Ms. Horton and me when things have been rough. The History Committee has worked hard to complete a task assigned by the association. Our former pastors' conference officers have always been very cooperative, but especially have they served well this year. Part of this, no doubt, came about because our convention leaders have recognized that these are key people in our association and they are now asking them to be a part of the key leadership training group of our association.

I wish it could be possible to say thank you to each church member individually for your gifts to the association. The fact you have let me have the opportunity to work with you and at times in your behalf is greatly appreciated. Please feel free to make your suggestions to me at any time. Our aim is to serve you in the best way possible. I solicit your prayers for each officer of the Associational Council member and for me personally that the year 1982-83 might be an even greater year than 1981-82.

Sincerely,

Walter Jones

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ANNUITY BOARD REPORT

"Solid Growth and Expanding Achievements"

"Despite the economic problems in the nation, 1981 was a year of solid growth and expanding achievements with record number in assets, benefits paid and member accounts," said Darold H. Morgan, president of the Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention.

Key statistical highlights in 1981 included:

1. A 10 percent 13th Check was sent to annuitants who retired before 1980. Those annuitants who retired in 1980-81 received their 13th Check bonus in their monthly checks.

2. A total of $24,298,521 was paid in retirement benefits.

3. Total assets administered by the board as of December 31, 1981 were $896,535,999 compared with $806,518,757 in December 31, 1980.

4. Relief funds from the Cooperative Program totalled $357,200.

Film Library, Baptist State Convention

VT16-1 "Planning The Rest of Your Life"
VT16-2 "Retirement - The Way It Is"
VT16-3 "Purpose and Meaning in Retirement"
VT16-4 "Mental and Physical Health in Retirement"
VT16-5 "Continuing Education and Mental Alertness"
VT16-7 "Route 10: The Road to Financial Security"

In Columbu Association, 34 churches and 38 staff members are participating in the retirement program. Of this number 10 are still participating on the minimum of $33.34 per month. There is a great need to upgrade this to 10% of total salary for staff members.

Respectfully submitted,

Ray Yarborough

BAPTIST FOUNDATION

When it was chartered in 1920, The North Carolina Baptist Foundation was charged with the responsibility of promoting the making of gifts, receiving and managing the gifts, and distributing the income earned from the investment of those gifts to the objects and causes specified by their donors. The charter further provided that those designated causes should be any and all objects and causes of the "Missionary Baptist denomination".

Today, the purpose remains the same. Baptist Foundation is the only agency of the Baptist State Convention which receives gifts for all Baptist causes: the colleges, universities and seminaries, Baptist Homes and Children's Homes, Baptist Hospital and the school of medicine, churches and associations, Foreign and Home Mission Boards, special mission offerings, Cooperative Program, and all other concerns of Baptists.

During 1981, new trusts were created and old trusts had additions which together totaled $855,991.00 bringing the assets in all trusts to almost five million dollars. (Real estate is stated in the assets at the value when given, which is on the books at approximately 2.4 million dollars less than the current market value.)

Through the trusts created prior to 1981, investments earned $418,529.70 during 1981 for distribution to beneficiaries named by the trust donors. During the years of the Foundation's existence, the sum of $2,610,299.00 had been distributed to all beneficiaries of trusts held by the Foundation, all according to the instructions provided by the donors.

The objective and future plans of the Foundation are summarized in a brief phrase - promoting mission support through estate stewardship. Through conferences and seminars, through counseling with individuals and speaking to church groups, the Foundation will continue to support North Carolina Baptists in their efforts to become better managers and stewards of their material possessions. Through its role as trustee agency, the Foundation will serve North Carolina Baptists by enabling them to enjoy Christian stewardship in its fullest sense - even after death.

BAPTIST HOMES REPORT

The past year in our North Carolina Baptist Homes has been a good one. We have had 45 persons admitted to the ministry of our Homes and apartments. This represents 98,065 days of special care for an average daily population of 260 persons. The Lord's blessings continue to be poured out upon us.

Great things are in store for our Homes as we look to the Lord, to North Carolina Baptists, and to the future! The Trustees made a decision of far-reaching significance at their May meeting in approving a Capital Funds Campaign. The existing needs at the Hayes Home and the Nursing Unit in Winston Salem present a primary challenge of this campaign. With success, we will be well on our way to adding much-needed nursing care beds, and resident rooms. We will also be able to provide much-needed upgraded services in relation to our present Nursing Unit, and also construct a desperately-needed Administration Building. We covet your prayers for the success of this effort.

Our major concern presently in our Homes' ministry is in regard to our benevolent care, assisting those who need supplementing financially. Gifts through the Cooperative Program and the North Carolina Missios Offering go a long way in undergirding those who cannot pay the full cost of care. These gifts, totalling $516,804.00, provided 57% of benevolent care. They many residents who will be looking to the Baptist Homes' ministry for their care and the 43% short fall in mission gifts will place increasing demands on the already over-taxed benevolent funds. Also, many persons on the Homes' waiting list who cannot pay the full cost of care may have a longer period to wait because of limited benevolent funds.

We believe, therefore, that if oyu know the need, you will respond to it by the increasing support that you will give through the Cooperative Program and through the North Carolina Missions Offering. We will be looking to the Lord and to you to help us continue to be the benevolent ministry that we have always been.

We love you, and we thank you for your love, your gifts, and your prayers. As Abraham was about to deliver the fatal blow to his son, Isaac, he asked, "Father, where is the sacrifice?" Whereupon Abraham replied, "God will provide!" And so He did! And so, we believe that you will provide.

Wiliam A. Poole
Executive Director

BAPTIST HOSPITAL REPORT

The follwoing information briefly summarizes the activities of our Baptist Hospital during the past year.

With 673 beds, the hospital admitted 23,350 patients during the past year and provided a total of $210,000 days of patient care. There were 65,381 additional visits to the hospital's outpatient clinics and the emergency room.

Many of these patients received traditional types of hospital and medical care, but others benefited from new procedures: 1. A new method of delivering anti-cancer drugs by means of an "infusion pump". 2. A new type of x-ray called "digital radiography" used principally for examination of blood vessels. 3. A new type of dialysis for patients with kidney disease called "continuous ambulatory peritoneal dialysis".

The Pastoral Care Department continues to provide a pastoral ministry to both inpatients and outpatients and to their families. During the past year, Chaplains made a total of 48,209 visits with patients. They provided 923 "on-call ministries" and led 262 worship services in Davis Chapel. The Pastoral Counseling Division provided 8,684 hours of counseling for 855 persons. A total of 63 students were enrolled in various levels of clinical-pastoral education.

During the year, our hospital again recieved a two-year approval by the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Hospitals.

Despite many economic pressures, our hospital continues to operate in the black. It has recently adopted a budget for the new fiscal year which for the first time exceeds $100,000,000.

Gifts from churches during the past year through the Cooperative Program amounted to $479,997 and through the North Carolina Missions Offering and designated gifts totalled $345,765. We are indeed grateful to the churches and their members for this continuing fine financial support.

A copy of the Admission Policy has been requested, and will be on file in your associational office.

If you desire additional information about Baptist Hospital, please contact me by calling the associational office.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert M. Shaw

BIBLICAL RECORDER REPORT

Workers change but the work goes on. This is the simple message from the BIBLICAL RECORDER this year.

Marse Grant, editor for nearly 23 years, retired September 13, his 62nd birthday. Succeeding him will be R. G. (Gene) Puckett who has served as editor of two other Baptist state papers and associate editor of a third one.

He came to the RECORDER from the position of executive director of Americans United for the Separation of Church and State where he was also publisher of the magazine, CHURCH AND STATE.

Editorials and letters have praised his ability. In addition to his 20 years of editorial work on Baptist papers, he has been pastor of churches in Kentucky, Ohio and Florida. He was interim paper of the largest Southern Baptist Church in Maryland, the Middle River Church near Baltimore. He will carry on the tradition of our Baptist state paper as it looks forward to its 150th anniverary next January 17.

It has not been an easy year for the BIBLICAL RECORDER, primarily because mailing costs increased 160 per cent, from $2,500 a week to $6,500 a week. Another increase may come this fall. The RECORDER has been through hard times before and will make it this time, thanks to the continuing support of North Carolina Baptists.

Please remember the new RECORDER editor and his family. As his schedule permits, he will be speaking in churches and in associational meetings. He wants to know more about our state and these appearances will help him. Remember him in your prayers as he undertakes this difficult and demanding job.

Submitted by,

Paul Morrow

CHRISTIAN ACTION LEAGUE REPORT

The Christian Action League is grateful to God for the opportunities that He has provided in the past year to have a Bold witness concerning current moral and ethical matters.

I. PRESIDENTIAL COMMISSION ON DRUNK DRIVING: The League was involved in the initial request to President Ronald Reagan concerning the naming of a Presidential Commission to study ways to reduce the needless slaughter of 26,000 people annually upon our highways due to drinking drivers. He responded to this request and named 26 prominent Americans who will look at the Drinking and Driving problem on a national basis and will make recommendations to the states in ways to deal with this carnage.

II. GOVERNOR'S TASK FORCE ON DRUNKEN DRIVERS: The League also called upon Governor Hunt to name a North Carolina Task Force on Drunken Drivers to explore ways of removing those irresponsible individuals who insist on drinking and driving. Public hearings were held in seven cities across North Carolina to hear speakers share personal tragedies due to drinking drivers.

The Task Force will submit its recommendation to the governor. There will be compiled into the Governor's Crime Commission's legislative program for the 1983 session of the General Assembly.

III. SUCCESSFUL REFERENDUM: The League helped defeat pro-liquor-beer-wine forces in thirteen counties. This gives cause for great rejoicing.

IV. HISTORIC FIRST STATE-WIDE CONFERENCE ON OBSCENITY: North Carolina has become the "smut" capital of the nation. The first of these conferences was held in Greensboro on March 30, 1982. Due to the loop-holes that now exist in our obscenity laws, our state has more x-rated theaters and "adult" book stores (sex shops) per capita than any other state. Six regiational conferences were held between September 15 and October 15, 1982.

V. RESOURCES:

A. Tomorrow - one year free subscription
Christian Action League
P. O. Box 2126
Raleigh, N. C. 27602

B. Baptist Public Affairs Committee
200 Maryland Avenue, NE
Washington, D. C. 20002

Please contact this committee before circulating any petitions on an issue. This could save you and your church much time and effort.

Submitted by:

Ray L. Lundy

CHRISTIAN HIGHER EDUCATION

North Carolina Baptist have founded and continued to support seven colleges and universities in the state of North Carolina. They are as follows:

Chowan College near Murfreesboro
Campbell University at Buies Creek
Meredith College at Raleigh
Wake Forest University at Winston Salem
Wingate College at Wingate
Gardner-Webb College at Boiling Springs
Mars Hill College near Asheville

During the 1981-82 school year over 15,798 students attended the above colleges or universities. Foreign students numbered 224 from 57 countries and territories.

The business of Baptist colleges is the education of young people. This is the primary service provided by the colleges to the churches. Often there are Baptist youth who prefer a Baptist college, but who fail to apply out of the belief that they cannot afford the cost. Because of Baptist churches supporting the Cooperative Program, last year approximately 9,700 of the students attending Baptist colleges received financial aid.

Baptist colleges recognize and appreciate the generous support of the local Baptist churches that support this Cooperative Program as a meaningful place in the great mission to the world.

The Education Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention has been involved in a three year emphasis on missions in the life of Southern Baptist colleges and universities. As a part of this emphasis the Commission continues to lead in efforts to implement campus programs of mission activities by and with students. The Commission seeks to secure names of church-related volunteers, publishes materials pertaining to admissions and recruiting in the Southern Baptist Educator, and endeavors to improve the channels of news and information about Christian Higher Education through the Bpatist state papers and convention periodicals. Southern Baptist concern for education and this awareness that education is a part of the commitment toward missions.

The Southern Baptist Convention Program contributed $4.9 million of the $12 million operating budget for Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary during the 1981-82 year. During the year two milestones were reached when the 40,000th students enrolled and the 20,000th degree was received since its foudning in 1908.

Respectfully yours,

J. C. FormyDuval, Jr.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

COOPERATIVE PROGRAM

A dream is only a dream until someone makes it come true. Bold Mission Thrust began as a dream for Southern Baptists in 1976-77 -- a bold dream of greater mission support and church growth. Many people are committed to making this dream a reality. In order for Bold Mission Thrust to succeed, many more people must adopt this commitment.

Two important questions must be asked and answered:

1. Do we have the will and commitment to persist in achieving what we have voted as Bold Mission Thrust goals?

2. Can we learn to live with our commitments?

Officially, Southern Baptists claimed their Bold Mission Thrust dream in 1977. Looking at the years ahead we have mixed reactions of exictement and anxiety. The introduction is over; in 1983 we must demonstrate our willingness to make our Bold Mission Thrust dream come true through our Bold Giving.

Involved in this demonstration are several realities to be considered:

1. Churches need to be faithful in fulfilling their goals of mission giving and church growht;

2. Some churches may need to discover "special roles" in the bold endeavors they have adopted;

3. Church leaders must lead the people to adjust lifestyles and values in order to achieve Bold Mission Thrust;

4. We need a strong zeal and spirit of cooperation to attain the $190,000 goal of our 1983 associational missions program;

5. We need a strong commitment to reach the $190,000 goal for our 1983 State Cooperative Program budet.

6. We need a greater concern for people in order to bring about a new "turn around" in attitudes and records in church growth and church member development.

The dream is bold. The people are excited. The mission unmistakably stands before us.

WE RECOMMEND

1. That every church encourage its members to grow in the grace of giving, and in light of our Bold Mission Thrust goals, to give a greater percentage of their income through their church.

2. That every church accept the responsibility of teaching its members the principles of biblical stewardship and provide studies and activities throughout the year to accomplish this goal.

3. That every church seek to increase its budget income during the year by at least 15 percent.

4. That every church develop a unified budget and conduct a budget program that would emphasize the importance of each individual members' giving and involvement in the life and work of the church.

5. That every church elect and train a stewardship committee to assist the church in developing Christian stewards.

6. That the association assist the churches in accomplishing their task of developing Christian stewards by providing information and/or a conference explaining the stewardship resources available to the churches.

7. The Association voted to encourage churches do the GREAT CHALLENGE PROGRAM in 1983.

Respectfully submitted,

John Stephenson

EVANGELISM REPORT

Last year there was much preparation made for the "Here's Hope" Joint Evangelism Crusade. In February, 1980, a joint meeting of both Black and White Baptists met at First Baptist Church, Whiteville to kick off the campaign. During the year an effort was made to gain support for the joint crusade. Some of the efforts made were:

Charles Simmons held two clinics on "People Search".

Rev. Jim Baldwin led a conference on follow-up evangelism.

The Evangelism Committee made an effort to enlist all the churches to have a revival during March if possible. Even though all of our churches were unable to participate during the two week period selected for the East, I think all participated in a revival effort.

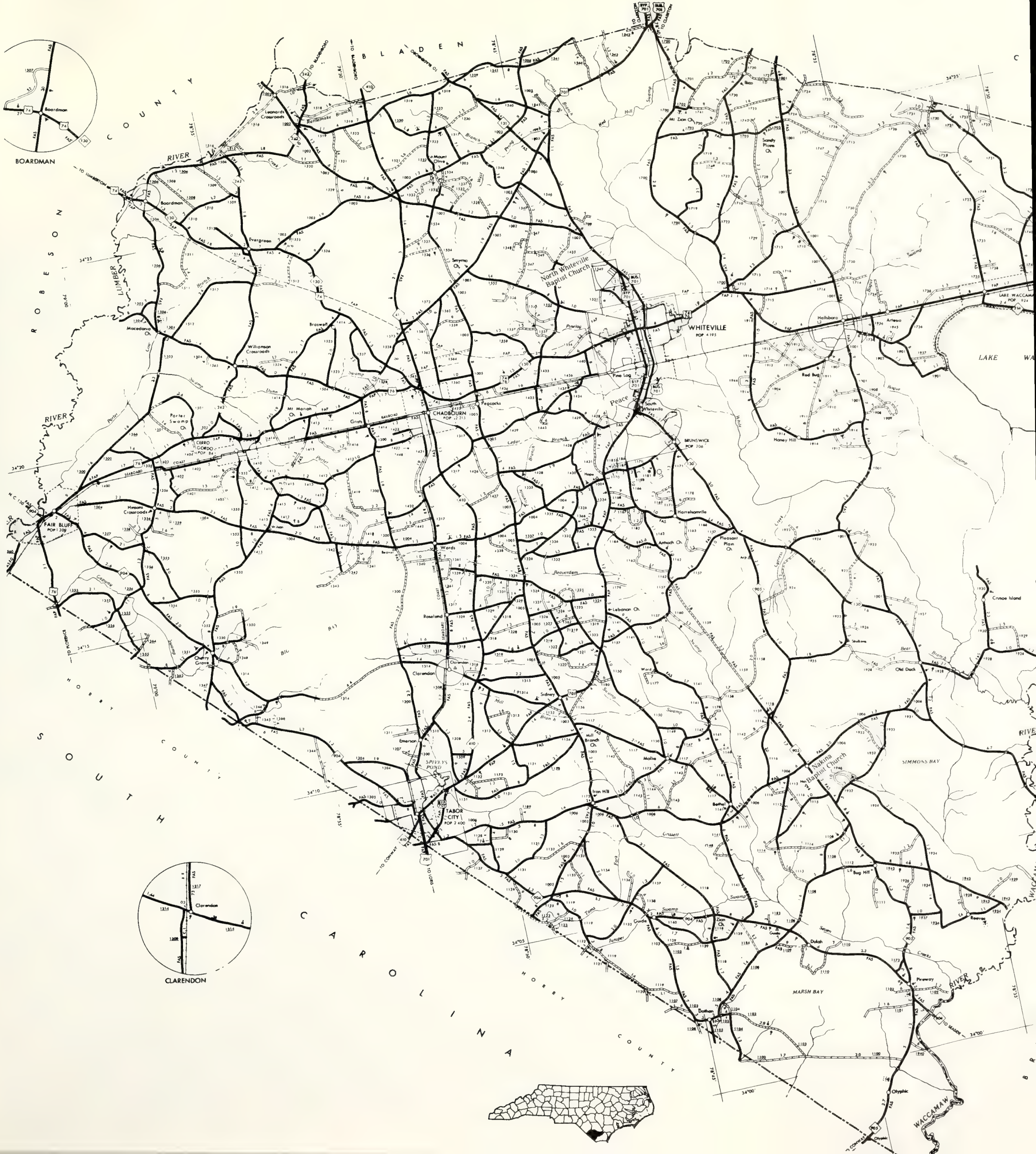
An effort was made through the local newspapers to advertise the revivals held during the two weeks.

Later the Evangelism Committee planned for an evangelistic crusade to be held in September when Mr. Kenneth Ridings would come and speak to the pastors in the afternoon and then bring an evangelistic message during the evening service. Mr. Ridings did an excellent job for which the committee is very grateful. This meeting was held at Trinity.

Dr. Frank Crumpler led a church growth conference for the association. Twenty-five from our churches attended the conference at the New Hope Baptist Church.

Respectfully submitted,

Bob Carter
Vernon Williamson
George Strickland
Jack Strickland
Hughet Godwin, Chairman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CHURCHES	PASTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	County	Year organized as a church	Location	Services held twice on Sunday? Y	Services held twice on Sunday? N	Total Baptisms	Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)	Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)	Present resident members	Present nonresident members	Grand total present members	No. members received from non-Baptist Churches	No. members lost to non-Baptist Churches	Value of pastor's home if owned by the church	Value of church property including pastor's home	Total church debt at end of this associational year
Antioch	Vernon Williamson, Route 3, Box 201, Chadbourn	Col.	1918	1		X	8	10	7	186	38	224	0	1	0	266,043	48,379
Boardman	David Oldham, Route 3, Box 344, Dillon, S. C.	Col.	1904														
Bolton		Col.	1917	2		X	0	1	1	96	17	113	0	0	0	0	0
Brunswick	Ralph Gore, Route 4, Box 173-A, Whiteville	Col.	1952	2	X		9	12	19	111	31	142	6	0	0	200,000	0
Calvary		Col.	1951	1	X		11	4	25	279	43	322	0	2	0	375,000	0
Cedar Grove	Robert McNair, Route 1, Box 130, Evergreen	Col.	1869														
Cerro Gordo	Herman Goodin, Box 159, Cerro Gordo	Col.	1906	2	X		8	3	10	223	97	320	0	2	75,000	325,000	0
Chadbourn	Dennis Bazemore, 311 East Second Avenue, Chadbourn	Col.	1890	3		X	11	5	12	337	139	476	1	0	50,000	1,500,000	0
Cheerful Hope	Delbert Muse, Route 1, Box 66X, Delco	Col.	1839	1	X		5	3	4	73	0	73	0	0	0	35,000	0
Cherry Grove	Merlin Boone, Route 1, Box 264, Cerro Gordo	Col.	1810	1	X		15	2	12	331	118	449	0	0	0	0	7,500
China Grove		Col.	1890														
Clarendon	R. E. Carter, Box 275, Bladenboro	Col.	1906	1		X	4	1	7	112	103	215	0	1	0	250,000	0
Corinth	J. Wade Fowler, 303 Pireway Road, Tabor City	Col.	1880	1	X		0	2	1	89	23	114	0	0	30,000	80,000	3,000
Delco	George N. Knight, Box 199, Delco	Col.	1910	2	X		4	1	6	155	34	189	5	1	75,000	200,000	0
Evergreen	Grover Vaughan, Box 146, Evergreen	Col.	1879	2	X		3	3	10	218	42	260	0	4	51,036	441,036	0
Fair Bluff	Ray Lundy, Box 435, Fair Bluff	Col.	1883	3		X	14	12	3	336	148	484	0	0	70,000	350,000	16,600
Faith	David Anderson, Route 5, Box 61, Whiteville	Col.	1971	1	X		0	0	2	65	10	75	0	0	50,000	150,000	10,418
Forest Lawn	Bervin Ferguson, Box 693, Tabor City	Col.	1955	1		X	1	1	7	160	40	200	0	1	0	205,000	0
Friendly Chapel	Elbert Waddell, 1205 Pinkney Street, Whiteville	Col.	1970	7	X		7	0	7	75	0	75	0	0	0	50,000	0
Gapway	Drew Hardee, Route 5, Box 168, Loris, S. C.	Col.	1874	1		X	4	2	1	0	2	5	0	0	0	100,000	0
Hallsboro	Maurice Gilliam, Box 86, Hallsboro	Col.	1876	2		X	4	11	15	294	170	464	0	2	30,000	110,000	0
Hinsons's Cross Roads	Brancie Stephens, Route 1, Box 42-A, Fair Bluff	Col.	1894	1	X		3	7	30	204	60	264	2	0	55,000	385,000	0
Iron Hill	Earl Lanier, Route 1, Box 250-B, Clarendon	Col.	1828	1		X	6	5	9	120	58	178	0	0	0	100,000	0
Lake Waccamaw	Paul Hill, Box 245, Lake Waccamaw	Col.	1871	3	X		1	9	6	181	163	344	1	1	60,000	360,000	0
Lennon's Cross Roads	Phil Moore, Route 1, Box 361, Evergreen	Col.	1797	1		X	8	2	8	219	46	265	0	0	65,000	550,000	0
Macedonia	Vernon Williamson, Route 3, Box 201, Chadbourn	Col.	1839	1	X		31	0	5							175,000	
Mount Zion	Sidney Britt, Route 1, Box 396, Bladenboro	Col.	1837	1			4	6	4	143	39	182	0	0	30,000	130,000	
Nakina	Guy FormyDuval, Route 1, Box 68, Nakina	Col.	1977	1		X	4	5	1	73	1	74	0	0		223,373	86,331
New Hope	C. Ray Yarborough, Jr., Route 5, Box 37AB, Whiteville	Col.	1874	1	X		11	8	12	226	228	454	0	0	50,000	425,000	157,556
Oak Dale	Robert Duncan, Box 23, Brunswick	Col.	1883	1		X	4	5	4	116	102	218	1	0		100,000	
Peace	Paul Morrow, Route 3, Box D-76, Whiteville	Col.	1978														
Piney Forest	Brantley Stevens, Route 3, Box 249, Chadbourn	Col.	1869	1	X		0	0	4	88	39	127	0	0	50,000	150,000	
Pleasant Hill	Jim Baldwin, Route 5, Box 60, Whiteville	Col.	1848	1	X		23	4	35	187	66	253	2	13	25,000	225,000	
Pleasant Plains	Dale Webb, Route 4, Box 164-A, Whiteville	Col.	1839	1	X		0	4	6	1	2	3	0	0	50,000	500,000	1,000
Porter Swamp	Bill Evans, Box 98, Cerro Gordo	Col.	1828	1	X		2	1	5	175	88	263	0	0	50,000	300,000	
Riegelwood	Larry Knowles, Box 292, Riegelwood	Col.	1952	3	X		6	11	22	271	94	365	7	7	57,000	475,000	
Smyrna	Travis Newton, Route 1, Box 350, Whiteville	Col.	1886	1	X		1	6	13	204	62	266	0	1	50,000	300,000	0
Sweet Home	Richard Poynor, Route 1, Box 131-A, Clarendon	Col.	1850	1	X		1	2	4	190	93	283	0	0		530,000	17,000
Tabor City	Daniel Deaton, 10 Nesmith Street, Tabor City	Col.	1838	4	X		15	14	35	545	299	844	0	9	90,000	1,198,000	
Trinity	Ray Justice, 310 Vine Street, Whiteville	Col.	1953	4	X		15	36	30	783	93	876	0	0		700,000	
Union Chapel	Wilbur Milligan, Route 5, Box 163, Loris, S. C.	Col.	1900	1		X	0	0	2	70	48	118	0	0		45,000	1,815
Union Valley	George Berry, Route 5, Box 424-A, Whiteville	Col.	1886	1		X	10	9	4	93	116	209	0	0	45,000	225,000	
Western Prong	John Stephenson, Route 1, Box 97, Whiteville	Col.	1801	1	X		7	8	14	360	88	448	3	3	50,000	5,000,000	
Westside	Elmore Strickland, Route 1, Box 235, Cerro Gordo	Col.	1970	4	X		12	6	5	120	41	161	0	5	55,000	160,000	
White Marsh	Leon Lancaster, Route 2, Box 259-A, Whiteville	Col.	1765	1		X	5	0	9	215	56	271	1	0	65,000	150,000	
Whiteville First		Col.	1852														
Whiteville West	J. P. Williams, Route 6, Box 133, Whiteville	Col.	1959	4		X	6	3	5	51	122	173	0	0		100,000	
Willaimson's Cross Rds.	J. P. Williams, Route 6, Box 133, Whiteville	Col.	1897	1			3	2	3	162	53	215	0	2		150,000	
North Whiteville	Thomas Fairfax, Route 1, Box 47, Cerro Gordo	Col.	1979														

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CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	Cradle Roll enrolment (Birth to 2 years)	Preschool enrolment (Birth through 5 years)	Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Young Adult enrolment—Single (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)	Young Adult enrolment—married (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)	Adult enrolment (30-59 years)	Senior Adult enrolment (60 and over)	Adults Away enrolment	Homebound enrolment	General officers enrolment	Enrolment of mission(s) of church	Total ongoing Sunday School enrolment	Average weekly Sunday School attendance	Bible Study groups enrolment	Total enrolled in Bible Study	Number ethnic Sunday School members	Church V. B. S. enrolment	Mission V. B. S. enrolment	Backyard Bible Club enrolment
Antioch	Richard Ward, Route 4, Box 140-A, Whiteville	0	17	21	23	3	10	54	36	0	0	0	0	164	94	0	94	0	68	0	0
Boardman																					
Bolton	Cleveland Baker, Box , Bolton	0	12	16	15	0	16	28	22	0	0	4	0	113	62	0	0	0	67	0	0
Brunswick	Eugene Stevens, 403 W. Williamson St., Whiteville	2	5	10	10	8	14	37	37	14	0	0	2	0	102	75	0	102	63	0	0
Calvary	Mike Peterson, Route 4, Box 134, Whiteville	0	6	25	10	6	15	22	15	0	0	2	0	101	70	0	101	0	60	0	0
Cedar Grove																					
Cerro Gordo	C. W. Greene, Box 93, Cerro Gordo	0	28	17	27	9	21	43	13	0	0	3	0	161	107	0	161	0	100	0	0
Chadbourn	Jimmy Ferguson, 703 E. Second Ave., Chadbourn	6	15	36	26	0	14	91	24	0	0	6	0	218	115	0	0	0	99	0	0
Cheerful Hope	Jerry Gore, Route 1, Box 236-G, Bolton	0	11	19	6	7	21	8	17	0	3	12	0	94	69	0	0	0	58	0	0
Cherry Grove	Farley Strickland, Route 2, Box 55-B, Tabor City	0	36	35	14	10	12	58	56	0	0	10	0	231	182	0	231	0	98	0	0
China Grove																					
Clarendon	Larry Watson, Route 1, Clarendon	0	8	17	24	1	8	37	0	0	0	3	0	119	72	0	0	0	0	0	0
Corinth	Tommy Bullard, Route 3, Chadbourn	0	5	6	4	6	0	19	28	0	2	0	0	59	40	0	0	0	0	0	0
Delco	Fred Smith, Route 1, Box 48-A, Delco	2	17	19	21	12	10	19	33	0	0	0	0	133	75	0	133	0	84	0	18
Evergreen	Pete Floyd, Box 164, Evergreen	12	10	23	26	6	16	98	37	3	4	5	0	240	101	0	240	0	75	0	1
Fair Bluff	Burnett Coleman, Fair Bluff	0	31	26	16	6	13	88	36	0	0	6	0	222	130	0	0	0	76	0	0
Faith	James Leary, Route 5, Box 62, Whiteville	0	7	8	7	6	0	14	5	0	0	2	0	49	30	0	49	0	24	0	21
Forest Lawn	Mitchell Wright, Route 1, Box 18, Tabor City	0	18	19	11	24	19	38	35	0	0	4	0	168	118	0	0	0	68	0	68
Friendly Chapel	Garnet Holcomb, Route 5, Box 102, Whiteville	6	8	10	5	5	10	12	1	0	0	5	0	62	45	0	0	0	40	0	40
Gapway	J. D. Lovette, Route 1, Box 357, Green Sea	0	16	18	16	0	0	55	0	0	0	0	0	105	105	0	105	0	67	0	0
Hallsboro	Wayne Tyler, Route 1, Box 186, Hallsboro	0	15	11	10	16	8	19	27	0	10	5	0	121	68	0	121	0	69	0	22
Hinson's Cross Roads	Francis Floyd, Box 263, Fair Bluff	0	23	35	34	7	16	68	22	0	0	4	0	209	115	0	115	0	78	0	0
Iron Hill	H. B. Todd, Route 1, Box 246-A, Clarendon	8	55	10	5	12	26	19	28	0	1	3	0	118	71	0	0	0	64	0	0
Lake Waccamaw	Sonny Creech, Box 109, Lake Waccamaw	0	18	13	24	4	5	52	36	0	0	3	0	145	71	0	145	0	0	0	0
Lennon's Cross Roads	J. Z. Hinson, Box 147, Bladenboro	0	23	26	22	15	23	34	27	0	0	7	0	177	131	0	0	0	101	10	0
Macedonia	J. B. Williamson, Route 1, Evergreen	0	16	34	22	7	45	22	78	0	0	21	0	245	158	0	0	0	82	0	0
Mount Zion	Gary Hughes, Route 2, Box 142, Whiteville	8	7	9	16	11	0	23	28	0	0	2	0	104	70	0	0	0	46	0	0
Nakina	Leroy Ward, Route 1, Nakina	2	14	13	13	2	28	14	10	0	0	4	0	100	76	0	100	0	75	0	0
New Hope	Freddie Edwards, Route 3, Box 3-A, Whiteville	0	23	51	40	0	14	67	64	0	6	6	0	71	133	0	271	0	85	0	0
Oak Dale	Worth Smith, Route 1, Box 261-B, Whiteville	0	6	9	7	1	6	37	19	0	0	2	0	87	44	0	87	0	45	0	0
Peace																					
Piney Forest	Hubert McCleney, Box 92, Cerro Gordo	0	3	2	3	9	4	16	29	0	0	0	0	66	37	0	66	0	0	0	0
Pleasant Hill	Alan Buffkin, Route 5, Box 23-W, Whiteville	0	11	20	16	0	16	44	30	0	0	4	0	141	76	0	141	0	78	0	0
Pleasant Plains	Robert Ezzell, Route 3, Box 421-A, Whiteville	4	12	18	11	12	11	11	19	5	0	3	0	106	65	0	106	0	0	0	0
Porter Swamp	Bob Ford, Highway 76 East, Cerro Gordo	0	18	20	14	5	16	35	19	0	0	4	0	131	88	0	131	0	60	0	0
Riegelwood	Mrs. Martha Weeks, Cornwallis Dr., Riegelwood	0	21	35	50	15	10	80	17	0	0	4	0	232	127	0	232	0	90	0	0
Smyrna	C. G.Townsend, Baldwin Woods, Whiteville	0	13	13	22	0	6	34	31	0	0	4	0	143	82	0	143	0	46	0	0
Sweet Home	William Hardie, Route 3, Whiteville	4	9	12	12	10	6	59	26	0	0	0	0	140	117	0	0	0	95	0	0
Tabor City	Frank Stanley, Box 427, Tabor City	0	51	56	56	23	29	108	69	0	0	5	0	397	242	0	397	0	220	0	0
Trinity	Mrs. Polly Justice, 310 Vine St., Whiteville	6	79	100	95	70	51	197	40	1	22	7	12	680	300			1	187		25
Union Chapel	Billy Hobbs, Route 1, Hallsboro	2	5	6	9	8	0	22	11	1	0	18	0	64	34	0	0	0	5	0	0
Union Valley	Kenneth Dyson, 321 Jefferson St., Whiteville	6	6	7	13	5	20	18	10	0	0	3	0	88	66	0	88	0	49	0	0
Western Prong	R. N. Jordan, Route 2, Clarkton	6	12	29	47	27		75	60	0	10	7	0	273	132	0	273	0	85	0	0
Westside	Donnie Fowler, Route 5, Box 129, Loris, S. C.	4	9	17	22	0	15	20	21	18	0	3	0	129	92	0	129	0	68	0	0
White Marsh	J. C. Batten, Route 2, Box 306, Whiteville	0	9	16	18	0	17	41	19	0	0	2	0	120	65	0	65	0	74	0	0
Whiteville First																					
Whiteville West	Ray Galloway, Route 6, Box 134, Whiteville	0	7	6	7	5	18	0	3	2	0	3	0	51	31	0	51	0	52	0	0
Williamson's Cross Rds.	Jerry Hardin, Route 3, Chadbourn		8	8	6	6	10	24	20			11		93	67				46		
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CHURCHES	CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	Preschool enrolment (5 years and under—not in school)	Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Adult enrolment (18 and over)	Equipping Centers enrolment	N.C.M.T./Survival Kit enrolment	MasterLife enrolment	Other enrolment	Hold File enrolment	General officers enrolment	Enrolment of mission(s) of church	Total Church Training enrolment	Baptist Doctrine Study Y Yes N No
Antioch	David Milligan, Route 1, Box 182-A, Whiteville	5	10	15	42	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	72	N
Boardman														
Bolton														
Brunswick	Mrs. Minnie Hill, Box 93, Brunswick	2	5	6	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	33	Y
Calvary														
Cedar Grove														
Cerro Gordo	Mrs. Karen Inman, Route 3, Box 287, Chadbourn	0	8	2	8	0	18	0	0.	18	2	0	56	N
Chadbourn														
Cheerful Hope														
Cherry Grove	Bobby Edwards, 201 Wall Street, Tabor City	1	9	5	16	0	15	0	42	0	30	0	76	Y
China Grove														
Clarendon	J. R. Stanley, Jr., 109 Fowler Street, Tabor City	6	14	13	31								64	
Corinth														
Delco	Wayne Evans, Route 1, Box 120, Delco	2	3	3	3	0	0	0	12	0	5	0	28	N
Evergreen														
Fair Bluff														
Faith										7			7	N
Forest Lawn														
Friendly Chapel														
Gapway												8	8	N
Hallsboro														
Hinson's Cross Roads	Charles Spaw, Route 1, Box 46-A, Fair Bluff	12	18	42	40	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	116	Y
Iron Hill														
Lake Waccamaw														
Lennon's Cross Roads	Jerald Mayes, Route 1, Box 275, Whiteville	6	20	19	32						3	0	80	N
Macedonia														N
Mount Zion														Y
Nakina	Royce Butler, Box 95, Nakina	2	11	11	23	0	0				3	0	50	Y
New Hope	Mrs. Linda McLam, Route 3, Box 64, Whiteville	12	19	25	67						3	0	126	N
Oak Dale														N
Peace														
Piney Forest	Ward Shaw, Route 2, Chadbourn			8	15								23	N
Pleasant Hill										16			16	Y
Pleasant Plains	John Paul Millican, Route 4, Whiteville	2	2	8	18	0	4	0	0	0	2	0	36	N
Porter Swamp	Cecil Williamson, Box 149, Cerro Gordo	7	13	9	31						3	0	63	Y
Riegelwood														N
Smyrna	D. J. Shelley, Route 1, Whiteville										1		1	N
Sweet Home		3	11	18						32	4	0	68	N
Tabor City	Mike Jones, Box 674, Tabor City	24	31	45	63	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	163	N
Trinity	Bill Meadows, Route 5, Box 380-B, Whiteville	16	30	18	42						4	12	122	
Union Chapel										46				
Union Valley									40				40	Y
Western Prong	Gene Inman, Route 1, Box 148-A, Whiteville	3	13	16	35	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	70	Y
Westside	Vi Foneville, 216 Wall Street, Tabor City	6	12	4	34	0	12	0	0	0	2	0	70	Y
White Marsh														N
Whiteville First														
Whiteville West														
Williamson's Cross Rds.							2						2	N
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CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	Preschool enrolment (4-5 years)	Children enrolment (6-8 years or grades 1-3)	Children enrolment (9-11 years or grades 4-6)	Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Adult enrolment (18 and over)	Handbell ringers enrolment	Vocal ensembles enrolment	Instrumental ensembles enrolment	General music leaders enrolment	Enrolment of mission(s) of church	Total ongoing Church Music enrolment	Church Music Average Weekly Ongoing Attendance
Antioch	David Barden, Route 3, Box 358-B, Whiteville	0	0	5	16	20	0	0	0	7	0	48	30
Boardman													
Bolton	Larry Dwyer, Box , Bolton	3	7	6	0	12	0	0	0	4	0	32	15
Brunswick	Milton Boswell, Route 6, Whiteville	0	0	5	6	17	0	0	0	2	0	30	20
Calvary	John Giles, Route 1, Box H-75, Whiteville	0	0	0	1	23	0	2	0	4	0	30	19
Cedar Grove													
Cerro Gordo	Rev. Herman Goodin, Box 159, Cerro Gordo	2	2	13	17	23	0	0	0	7	0	54	26
Chadbourn		0	14	12	0	23	0	0	0	8	0	57	40
Cheerful Hope	Bobby Ellis, Route 1, Box 66-C, Delco	6	6	0	0	15	0	0	0	2	0	29	20
Cherry Grove	Mrs. Gwen Boone, Route 1, Box 264, Cerro Gordo	0	10	18	0	20	0	4	0	2	0	54	45
China Grove													
Clarendon	Ms. Margaret Hewett, Box 275, Tabor City	5	3	9	13	23	0	0	5	0	0	58	45
Corinth	Tommy Bullard, Route 3, Chadbourn												
Delco	Glen Evans, Route 1, Box 112, Delco	8	5	2	10	18	0	0	0	9	0	52	40
Evergreen	Mrs. Faye McClary, Route 1, Evergreen	0	0	0	16	18	0	5	0	7	0	61	40
Fair Bluff	Richard McIntosh	0	25	8	8	12	0	8	0	4	0	65	0
Faith		0	4	3	1	9	0	0	0	2	19	8	0
Forest Lawn	Cecil Stanley, Route 2, Tabor City	7	0	6	12	16	0	0	0	6	0	47	15
Friendly Chapel	Mrs. Irene Waddell, 1205 Pinkney Street, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	16	15
Gapway	Jerry Buffkin, Route 1, Box 314, Green Sea, S. C.	0	0	0	10	3	0	0	0	2	0	16	12
Hallsboro	Mrs. Pat Ray, Roue 2, Whiteville	0	0	0	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	11
Hinson's Cross Roads	Graham Ellis, Route 1, Box 43, Fair Bluff	0	6	7	25	25	0	0	0	5	0	68	48
Iron Hill	Wilbert Ray, Roue 3, Box 25, Tabor City	0	0	0	12	10	0	0	0	2	0	24	18
Lake Waccamaw	Mrs. Elaine Speight, Route 1, Box 363, Lake Waccamaw	0	4	5	17	16	0	0	0	3	0	45	30
Lennon's Cross Roads	Tommy Hinson, Route 1, Box 362, Evergreen	0	7	7	15	20	0	12	0	7	0	68	56
Macedonia	Ralph Nance, Route 1, Evergreen	0	2	10	11	17	0	0	0	4	0	44	0
Mount Zion	Mrs. Kitty Blanton, Route 2, Box 143-A, Whiteville	0	8		10	15				4		37	25
Nakina	Mrs. Ralph Sasser, Route 1, Nakina	4	5	5	8	16				6		44	30
New Hope	Mrs. Doris Edwards, Route 3, Box 3-A, Whiteville	0	14	10	7	44		13		10		98	38
Oak Dale	Mrs. Sam Wyatt, Route 1, Box 262-AA, Whiteville	0	2	6	2	14				3		27	18
Peace													
Piney Forest	Mrs. Rachel Arnette, Route 3, Box 260, Whiteville					9		3		2		9	8
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Pamela Gerald, Route 1, Box 426-A, Chadbourn	0	4	5	10	23				3		42	30
Pleasant Plains	Mrs. Shirley Millican, Route 4, Whiteville					12				4		16	16
Porter Swamp	Mrs. Mildred Edwards, Route 1, Box 130, Fair Bluff			8		20		10		4		42	25
Riegelwood		0	6	9	15	15				7		52	45
Smyrna	Al Norris, 503 W. College St., Whiteville				24	20				4		48	25
Sweet Home	Anthony Fipps, Route 3, Box 250, Whiteville	2	5	12	13	20	0	23	0	12	0	87	50
Tabor City	Jim Smith, 104 Garrell St., Tabor City	33	24	26	52	60	33	12		9		249	185
Trinity	Tom Carringer, Route 6, Box 329-A, Whiteville	27	22	23	35	42		12		8		169	78
Union Chapel	Mrs. Patty Hobbs, Route 1, Hallsboro												
Union Valley	W. C. Butler, Route 5, Whiteville	0	2	5	13	20		5		4		49	35
Western Prong	Mrs. Dot Thompson, Route 5, Box 412, Whiteville	5	8	8	18	31				5		75	36
Westside	Joahua Soles, Route 2, Box 9, Tabor City					12				3		15	9
White Marsh	Mrs. Mildred Lancaster, Route 2, Box 259-A, Whiteville	4	5	5	8	27		1		4		54	14
Whiteville First													
Whiteville West	Mrs. JoAnn Todd, Route 5, Box 357-A, Whiteville	4	2			12				3		21	8
Williamson's Cross Rds.	Ms. Betty Lou Branch, Route 3, Chadbourn	5	6	8	6	12				5		42	30
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CHURCHES	WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	Number of Organizations							Enrolment							
		Mission Friends (5 years and under—not in school)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	Mission(s) of church	Total number of organizations	Mission Friends (5 years and under—not in school)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	WMU officers	Mission(s) of church	Total ongoing WMU enrolment
Antioch	Mrs. Linda Hewett, Route 4, Box 134-F, Whiteville	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	2	12	1	10	3	0	24
Boardman																
Bolton		0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	5	1	0	6
Brunswick		0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	17	0	0	17
Calvary	Mrs. Linda Harrelson, Route 3, Box 74-D, Whiteville	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	7	0	0	15	4	0	26
Cedar Grove																
Cerro Gordo	Mrs. Grey Thompson, Route 1, Box 84, Cerro Gordo	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	5	8	5	0	27	3	0	48
Chadbourn	Mrs. Marie Collins, 305 East First Avenue, Chadbourn	1	2	1	1	1	0	6	5	14	10	8	9	9	0	115
Cheerful Hope	Mrs. Mary Woolard, Route 1, Box 67-H, Delco	1	1	1	0	0	1	4	6	4	6	0	0	5	22	43
Cherry Grove	Mrs. Shirley Hendrix, Route 2, Box 92-A, Tabor City	1	1	0	1	1	0	4	10	12	0	5	11	5	0	43
China Grove																
Clarendon	Mrs. Shirley Carter, Box 275, Bladenboro	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	4	5	5	6	6	5	5	45
Corinth	Mrs. Elouise Bullard, Route 3, Chadbourn															
Delco	Mrs. Virginia Lane, Route 2, Box 108, Riegelwood	1	1	1	0	0	1	4	7	12	9	0	10	3	0	41
Evergreen	Mrs. Sue Shaw, Route 1, Box 62, Evergreen	1	1	0	0	1	1	4	8	5	0	0	12	1	0	26
Fair Bluff	Mrs. Shirley Lawson, Fair Bluff	1	2	1	1	3	0	8	4	10	6	8	41	3	0	69
Faith	Mrs. Lena Frink, Route 1, Chadbourn	1	1	0	0	1	0	3	4	4	0	0	7	1	0	16
Forest Lawn	Mrs. Hazel Pigott, Route 2, Box 157, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	7	2	0	9
Friendly Chapel	Mrs. Margie Wright, 500 Canal Street, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	13	0	13	0	0	0	0	13	1	0	14
Gapway	Mrs. Shirley Buffkin, Route 1, Box 214, Green Sea, S. C.	0	0	0	0	7	7	7	0	0	0	0	1	2	7	10
Hallsboro	Mrs. Lucille Green, Box 40, Hallsboro	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	24	2	0	26
Hinson's Cross Roads	Mrs. Inez Hammond, Route 1, Box 148, Cerro Gordo	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	6	8	7	0	k2	3	0	36
Iron Hill																
Lake Waccamaw	Mrs. Mary Williamson, Box 224, Lake Waccamaw	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	11	0	0	10	1	0	22
Lennon's Cross Roads	Mrs. Bernard Lennon, Route 1, Box 436, Evergreen	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	5	16	11	0	28	4	0	64
Macedonia																
Mount Zion	Mrs. Kate Brown, Route 2, Box 162, Clarkton	0	1			1		2		7			17	2		26
Nakina	Mrs. Cleo Ward, Nakina					3		1					10	3		13
New Hope	Mrs. Mona Faye McLelland, Box 1142, Whiteville	1	1	1	1	1	2	7	10	15	14	10	47	1	0	97
Oak Dale	Mrs. William Parker, Route 1, Box 263-D, Whiteville		1			1		2		7			6	6		19
Peace																
Piney Forest	Mrs. Rachel Arnette, Route 3, Box 260, Chadbourn					1		1					27			27
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Alice Boswell, Route 3, Box 210-D, Whiteville	1	1	1		2		5	10	9	5		22	6		52
Pleasant Plains	Mrs. Alice Harrelson, Route 4, Whiteville	1	1		1		3	3	5		1		14	7		29
Porter Swamp	Mrs. Mildred Edwards, Route 1, Box 130, Fair Bluff		1	1	1	1		4		9	4		12	2		27
Riegelwood	Mrs. Marlene Sears, Box 212, Riegelwood	1	1	1	1	2		6	2	7	12	3	32	4		62
Smyrna	Mrs. Juanita Hooks, Route 2, Chadbourn	1	1	1		1		4	6	13	10	0	33	8		70
Sweet Home	Mrs. Donna Poynor, Route 1, Box 131-A, Clarendon		1			1		2		10			6	4		20
Tabor City	Mrs. Sandra Deaton, 10 Nesmith Street, Tabor City	1	1	1		1		4	12	20	15	20	60	5		132
Trinity	Mrs. Frances McCraw, Route 7, Box C-29, Whiteville	3	2	2	1	2		10	25	25	24	13	40	5		132
Union Chapel																
Union Valley	Mrs. Beth Dyson, 321 Jefferson Street, Whiteville	1		1		1		3	5		6		14			25
Western Prong	Mrs. Frances Inman, Route 1, Box 148-A, Whiteville	1	1	1		1		4	2	11	7		63	8		91
Westside	Mrs. Agnes Soles, Route 2, Box 9, Tabor City	1	1	1		1		4	5	6	5		12	7		35
White Marsh	Miss Jackie Fleming, Route 6, Box 389, Whiteville	1	1	1		1		4	6	11	9		26	5		57
Whiteville First																
Whiteville West	Mrs. Geraldine Williams, Route 6, Box 133, Whiteville					1		1					8	1		9
Williamson's X Rds.	Mrs. Lillie Williamson, Route 1, Box 370, Cerro Gordo		1				1	2		12			11	2		25
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CHURCHES	BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	Crusaders (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Pioneers (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	RA director and committee	Baptist Men enrolment-Basic	Baptist Men enrolment-Prayer	Baptist Men enrolment-Mission Action	Baptist Men enrolment-Witnessing or Lay Renewal	Brotherhood director and other general Brotherhood Officers	Enrolment of mission(s) of church	Total ongoing Brotherhood enrolment
Antioch											
Boardman											
Bolton											
Brunswick											
Calvary											
Cedar Grove											
Cerro Gordo	C. E. Williamson, Box 207, Cerro Gordo	7	12	1	0	8	0	0	0	0	28
Chadbourn											
Cheerful Hope		5	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16
Cherry Grove	Robert Faulk, Route 2, Tabor City	10	25	7	20						62
China Grove											
Clarendon	Billy Cribb, Route 1, Tabor City	4	7	1	0	5	0	0	1	0	18
Corinth											
Delco	Martin Benton, Route 1, Box 98-C, Delco	4	4						2	10	20
Evergreen											
Fair Bluff	Johnny Cutrell, Fair Bluff	16	14	6	18	9	0	0	3	0	66
Faith											
Forest Lawn											
Friendly Chapel	Philip Dew, 315 Wilkes Street, Chadbourn								9		9
Gapway	Ted Brigman, Route 2, Tabot City	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	3	0	12
Hallsboro											
Hinson's Cross Roads	Graham Ellis, Route 1, Box 43, Fair Bluff	12	12	2	20	0	0	0	0	0	46
Iron Hill											
Lake Waccamaw											
Lennon's Cross Roads	Craven Sealey, Route 1, Box 465, Bladenboro	15	12	0	15	0	0	0	1	0	43
Macedonia											
Mount Zion											
Nakina											
New Hope	Ed Lord, Route 3, Box 73-A, Whiteville										
Oak Dale	James P. Britt, Route 1, Box 262-A, Whiteville	4	0	1	8	0	0	0	1	0	14
Peace											
Piney Forest	David Pless, Box 296, Cerro Gordo										
Pleasant Hill	Alan Buffkin, Route 5, Box 23-W, Whiteville				10				1		11
Pleasant Plains	Graham Harrelson, Route 4, Whiteville										
Porter Swamp		4	2	2							8
Riegelwood	Cameron Norris, Box 56, Riegelwood	25	20	7				28	4		84
Smyrna	Elwood Robinson, Route 2, Chadbourn								1		1
Sweet Home											
Tabor City	Jimmy Dicus, Box 695, TaborCity	30	10	1	35				1		77
Trinity	Bill McCraw, Route 7, Box C-29, Whiteville	15	24	1	15		15		4	15	89
Union Chapel											
Union Valley	Kenneth Dyson, 321 Jefferson Street, Whiteville	3	6	2							11
Western Prong	Charles Stone, Route 5, Box 452-H, Whiteville	9	12	3	15						39
Westside	Ronnie Graham, 110 Jones Street, Tabor City	8	10	2	34				1		55
White Marsh											
Whiteville First											
Whteville West											
Williamson's Cross Rds.											
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TABLE G TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP YEAR ENDING [illegible] 1982
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CHURCHES	TREASURERS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	21 Number of tithers	22 Cooperative Program goal as percent of undesignated receipts	23 Associational missions goal as percent of undesignated receipts	124 Undesignated gifts, offerings, etc.	125 Designated gifts, offerings, etc.	126 Total tithes, all offerings, and special gifts	127 All other receipts	128 Total receipts	129 Money borrowed during the year	130 Church staff salaries	131 Money paid out on new construction during the year	132 Debt retirement during the year	133 Church literature	134 All other local expenditures	135 Total local expenditures
Antioch	Mrs. Betty Ward, Route 4, Box 140-A, Whiteville	15	6	1	27,878	10,145	38,023	0	38,023	0	11,583	0	11,515	812	8,350	32,158
Boardman																
Bolton	Mrs. Elizabeth Parker, Box , Bolton	10			36,434	10,532	46,967	0	46,967	0	15,860	0	10,86	1,070	15,818	43,608
Brunswick	Mrs. Jean Norris, Route 6, Box 199, Whiteville	10	5	2	17,748	7,831	25,309	151	25,460	3,000	8,600	7,913	3,112	555	8,862	29,042
Calvary	Mrs. Esther Pope, Route 6, Box 50, Whiteville	100			38,028	17,826	55,856	0	55,856	0	11,885	0	7,248	1,274	3,941	24,347
Cedar Grove																
Cerro Gordo	Floyd Harrelson, Box 164, Cerro Gordo	40	10	3	45,537	8,018	53,556	518	54,074	0	18,416	0	0	3,075	23,493	44,985
Chadbourn	Herman Carr, 705 E. First Ave., Chadbourn	25	6	1	73,090	8,825	81.915	717	82,632	0	25,650	0	0	2,500	30,150	58,300
Cheerful Hope	Mrs. Debbie Bracey, Route 1, Box 62-B, Delco	12			24,858	1,143	26,616	0	26,616	0	11,550	100	0	926	3,188	15,764
Cherry Grove	Vollie Edwards, Route 1, Box 282, Cerro Gordo		11	4			78,513	0	78,513	7,500	28,184	0	7.966	4,141	35,484	75,775
China Grove																
Clarendon	Eugene Richardson, Route 1, Box 30, Clarendon	37	5	2	37,859	1,463	39,322	2,815	42.137	0	16,299	0	0	1,731	11,855	28,885
Corinth	Miss Geraldine Rabon, Route 3, Chadbourn	12			21,262	1,146	22,408	0	22,408	3,000	13,210	0	3,000	1,105	8,058	25,363
Delco	S. W. Barnhardt, Route 1, Box 1, Delco	26	13	4	35,308	3,396	38,705	2,327	41,032	0	18,902	0	0	1,187	9,053	29,142
Evergreen	Mrs. Mary Frances Inman, Route 1, Evergreen		10		35,695	12,412	48,107	780	48,887	0	15,334	0	0	2,323	1,909	19,566
Fair Bluff	Schley Waddell, Fair Bluff	10			65,751	31,194	96,945	11,598	108,544	16,600	21,825	0	0	3,454	0	105,018
Faith	Mrs. Wilmer Hughes, Route 1, Chadbourn	13	3	3	17,378	482	17,860	0	17,860	0	9,180	0	1,560	471	8,170	19,381
Forest Lawn	Austin Canady, Route 1, Tabor City	12	1	1			39,143	0	39,143	0	15,320	16,249	0	1,565	6,813	39,949
Friendly Chapel	Mrs. Irene Waddell, 1205 Pinkney St., Whiteville	16			15,000	0	15,000	0	15,000	0	7,800	0	0	300	4,000	12,100
Gapway	Jimmy Fowler, Route 2, Box 53-D, Tabor City	3			8,479	0	8,479	0	8,479	0	3,779	0	0	850	3,254	7,891
Hallsboro	Mrs. Ann Jones, Route 1, Box 301-A, Hallsboro	15	12	5	34,255	11,975	46,230	345	46,575	0	22,017	0	0	1,524	4,538	28,079
Hinson's Cross Roads	O. C. Jenkins, Jr., Route 1, Box 49, Cerro Gordo	20	5	8	38,140	3,100	41,240	86	41,326	0	18,902	0	0	2,972	12,620	34,494
Iron Hill	Ford Inman, Route 3, Box 29, Tabor City	14			24,441	0	24,441	0	24,441	0	17,801	0	0	1,717	9,292	28,210
Lake Waccamaw	Mrs. Thetus Hughes, 102 Canal Rd., Lake Waccamaw	10	8	2	35,798	3,552	39,350	0	39,350	0	11,600	0	0	1,060	13,137	25,797
Lennon's Cross Rds.	Bernard Lennon, Route 1, Box 436, Evergreen	60	25	2	66,506	15,759	82,266	535	82,801	0	13,000	0	0	3,137	19,942	36,079
Macedonia	Mrs. Linda Brown, Route 1, Box 134, Evergreen				49,476		49,476	4,628	54,104		15,500	310		921	3,628	20,359
Mount Zion	Mrs. Betty S. Baldwin, Route 2, Whiteville				17,895	4,624	22,520	1,680	24,200		16,648			1,433	8,486	20,567
Nakina	William R. Sasser, Route 1, Nakina	5			31,123	8,515	39,638	12,078	51,715	90,000	3,225	201,057	10,372	1,479	4,940	221,073
New Hope	Ms. Wanda Horton, Route 5, Box 99, Whiteville	75	20	5	53,524	26,648	80,172		80,172		19,293		20,626	3,370	10,861	54,150
Oak Dale	Kimble Brock, Route 1, Box 198, Whiteville	10			16,568	3,428	19,996	1,495	21,491		6,024			799	8,066	14,889
Peace																
Piney Forest	Raymond Yates, Route 3, Chadbourn	15	10	1	28,703	3,446	32,149		32,149		14,810			1,046	9,847	25,703
Pleasant Hill	Willard White, Route 1, Box 44, Chadbourn	21	12	4	26,480	1,558	28,038	184	28,222		12,454	840		1,627	8,780	23,700
Pleasant Plains	Wayne King, Route 4, Whiteville	12	5	1	30,000	5,300	35,300		35,300	9,200	18,680	1,932	1,000	3,300	5,000	29,912
Porter Swamp	Mrs. Jane Ford, Highway 76 East, Cerro Gordo		6	5	3,600	10,00	46,000	800	46,800		22,229			2,000	4,800	29,029
Riegelwood	Mrs. Betty White, Green Road, Riegelwood	38	13	4	69,600	17,000	86,600	465	87,065		23,500			4,000	21,000	48,500
Smyrna	Earl Goins, 515 W. Nance Street, Whiteville	30	15	6	38,855	5,433	44,288	2,232	46,520		13,014			2,039	10,222	25,275
Sweet Home	Malcolm Mills, Route 1, Clarendon	10			27,896	16,692	44,588		44,588		17,400		16,692	1,560	7,329	42,981
Tabor City	C. C. Willoughby, Route 2, Box 105, Tabor City		13	1	154,568	236,423	391,423	28,205	419,628		71,035	37,702	0	10,101	77,848	196,286
Trinity	V. C. Duncan, Route 1, Box 368, Whiteville	18	4		160,144	21,721	181,865		181,865	20,000	56,021	7,609	22,360	8,995	15,435	110,420
Union Chapel	Billy Hobbs, Route 1, Hallsboro	3			7,194	1,000	8,194		8,194		2,825	1,178	1,815	274	2,044	8,136
Union Valley	Mrs. Nellie Ward, Route 1, Whiteville	21			29,572	2,054	31,627	1,171	32,798		14,950	10,950		843	6,141	32,884
Western Prong	Grady Jordan, Route 2, Box 97, Clarkton	75	15	2	68,750	14,386	83,136		83,136	13,500	31,280		13,500	3,550	10,110	67,440
Westside	Mrs. Mary Watts, 110 Brown Street, Tabor City	42	10	2	38,438	1,430	39,868		39,868		16,481			1,574	6,162	24,217
White Marsh	J. C. Batten, Route 2, Box 306, Whiteville	11	8	2			34,962		34,962		12,230			1,400	12,706	26,376
Whiteville First																
Whiteville West	Mrs. Juanita Collum, Route 5, Box 234, Whiteville	12	8	2	12,592	5,756	18,348		18,348		8,579			530	3,234	12,342
Williamson's X Rds.	H. G. Williamson, Cerro Gordo	11	8	2												
North Whiteville																

TABLE H MISSION EXPENDITURES

YEAR ENDING September 30, 1982
(Month & Day)

Association
Columbus

State
North Carolina

Associational Clerk
Ms. Wanda Horton

Address City State Zip
Route 5, Box 99, Whiteville, N. C. 28472

		136	137	138	139	140	141	142	143	144	145	146	147	148	149	150
		CHURCH SPONSORED MISSIONS				OTHER MISSION CAUSE EXPENDITURES										
CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	Money paid out on new construction during the year	All other church sponsored mission expenditures	Total church sponsored mission expenditures	Cooperative Program	Associational missions program	State missions	SB Home Missions (incl. Annie Armstrong Easter offering)	SB Foreign Missions (incl. Lottie Moon Christmas offering)	SB Christian education (schools, etc.)	SB Children's homes (cash plus goods)	SB Hospitals	SB Homes for the aged	All other (Bible Society, Temperance League, etc.)	Total other mission cause expenditures	Grand Total Mission expenditures
Antioch	Mrs. Vera Fowler, Route 1, Box 103-P, Clarendon	0	0	0	1,643	175	153	215	525	0	0	0	0	400	3,111	3,111
Boardman																
Bolton	Mrs. Velma Herren, Box 355, Bolton	205	0	205	74	0	339	245	786	0	0	0	0	2,580	3,949	4,228
Brunswick	Mrs. Leona Ezzell, Box 24, Brunswick	0	0	0	1,130	568	256	195	417	0	0	0	0	334	1,770	2,900
Calvary	Mrs. Mazine Newell, 404 W. Williamson St., Whiteville	0	1,236	1,236	800	384	0	150	251	2,325	0	0	0	350	3,460	5,496
Cedar Grove																
Cerro Gordo	J. P. Hammond, Box 117, Cerro Gordo	0	0	0	4,576	1,366	203	627	804	0	0	0	0	295	3,295	7,872
Chadbourn	Miss Elaine Carr, Box 324, Chadbourn	0	0	0	5,731	1,200	739	830	1,480	0	0	0	0	236	4,485	10,216
Cheerful Hope	Mrs. Linda Hewett, Route 1, Box 62-E, Delco	0	0	0	2,170	600	0	826	317	0	0	0	0	0	1,743	3,913
Cherry Grove	Rudolph Lancaster, Route 1, Box 345, Green Sea, S.C.	0	0	0	4,387	1,331	0	1,013	1,526	0	0	0	0	500	0	8,757
China Grove																
Clarendon	Eugene Richardson, Route 1, Box 30, Clarendon	0	0	0	1,000	600	500	1,200	1,583					700	4,583	5,583
Corinth	J. A. Bowen, Box 271, Chadbourn	0	0	0	100	150	7	64	70					318	609	709
Delco	Mrs. Margaret Evans, Route 1, Box 120, Delco	528	0	528	3,684	1,402	701	625	1,574					904	5,205	9,418
Evergreen	Mrs. Reba Bartley, Route 1, Box 77, Evergreen	0	500	500	3,700	1,000	0	1,162	2,926					1,735	6,823	11,023
Fair Bluff	Harold Foley, Fair Bluff	0	0	0	5,383	1,200	561	1,986	1,172					367	5,286	
Faith	Mrs. L. H. Shuman, Route 5, Box 65, Whiteville	0	0	0	415	465	35	100	135						735	1,150
Forest Lawn	Mitchell Wright, Route 1, Box 18, Tabor City	0	0	0	375	375	150								525	900
Friendly Chapel	Mrs. Sandie Ward, Route 5, Box 101-B, Whiteville					100										
Gapway	Sammy Inman, Route 2, Box 53-E, Tabor City	0	253	253			200							915	1,368	1,368
Hallsboro	R. B. Wyche, Box 183, Hallsboro				3,958	1,200	300	411	1,202					20	3,133	7,091
Hinson's Cross Roads	Mrs. L. V. Reel, Box 5, Fair Bluff				1,914	400	360	423	865						2,048	3,962
Iron Hill	James E. Spivey, Route 3, Box 27, Tabor City				1,106	200	525	0	481						1,206	2,312
Lake Waccamaw	Mrs. Dolores Duncan, Route 1, Box 83, Lake Waccamaw				1,125	990	250	521	775					100	2,636	3,761
Lennon's Cross Roads	Gene Hickman, Jr., Route 1, Box 623, Bladenboro				10,619	1,275	1,366	2,878	5,038						10,557	20,726
Macedonia	Mrs. Carolyn Reynolds, Route 1, Box 187-A, Evergreen				200	200	100		1,000		100	240			1,640	1,840
Mount Zion	Mrs. Estelle Lennon, Route 2, Box 144, Whiteville	100		100	672	145	40	440	586						1,211	1,984
Nakina	Mrs. Ralph Sasser, Route 1, Nakina				753	300		150	300					1,305	2,055	2,808
New Hope	Ms. Wanda Horton, Route 5, Box 99, Whiteville				9,057	2,425	93	393	1,048					36	3,995	13,052
Oak Dale	Mrs. Kimble Brock, Route 1, Box 198, Whiteville				710	200		155	200			50			605	1,315
Peace																
Piney Forest	Dr. Robert Yates, Box 468, Chadbourn				2,257	427	490	1,076	1,522					1,283		7,055
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Kathryn White, Route 1, Box 44, Chadbourn															
Pleasant Plains	Mrs. Ileta Collier, Route 4, Box 167, Whiteville				4,187	1,284	348	451	1,064					43	3,190	7,377
Porter Swamp	Ms. Melinda Edwards, Route 1, Box 130, Fair Bluff				1,815	1,234	0	131	197						1,562	3,413
Riegelwood	Mrs. Robbie Bigford, Box 218, Riegelwood	10,751		10,751	8,997	2,986	615	3,726	2,142		60			723	10,252	30,000
Smyrna	Mrs. Melba Gurkin, Route 5, Box 441, Whiteville	500		500	5,193	1,833	182	405	747						3,167	8,860
Sweet Home	Mrs. Nancy Marlowe, Route 1, Box 230, Clarendon				74	110	695	812							1,617	1,691
Tabor City	Mrs. Bernice Gerald, Box 157, Tabor City				19,264	26	2,250	1,026	3,322					4,382	13,580	32,844
Trinity	Clyde Griffin, 106 S. Franklin St., Whiteville	16,548		16,548	16,904	4,355	1,002	2,400	2,428					50	10,233	43,685
Union Chapel	Mrs. Letha Squires, Route 1, Box 45, Bolton				2,500									22	22	47
Union Valley	Mrs. Jessie Lee Russ, Route 1, Box 376, Whiteville				1,200	600	76	235	298					358	1,567	2,767
Western Prong	Mrs. Jo Wooten, Route 2, Box 112, Clarkton				7,820	1,840	1,124	1,537	3,040					1,274	8,815	16,635
Westside	Mrs. Annie Inman, Route 1, Box 44, Tabor City				1,200	600		420	550					360	1,930	3,130
White Marsh	Billy Rushing, Route 2, Box 83-A, Whiteville				2,074	425	55	534	1,567		200			422	3,203	5,277
Whiteville First																
Whiteville West	Mrs. Ann Powell, Box 58, Hallsboro				424	172		150	129					129	580	1,004
Williamson's Cross Rds.	A. I. Williamson, Route 1, Box 370, Cerro Gordo				2,000	500	1,200	175	332					1,250	3,457	5,457

TABLE I SPECIAL INFORMATION

YEAR ENDING September 30, 1982 (Month & Day)

Association: Columbus

State: North Carolina

Moderator: J. Wade Fowler

Address: 303 Pireway Road, Tabor City, N. C. 28463 (City, State, Zip)

Does church have, observe, plan, use, etc.? Y=YES N=NO (columns 46–53)

CHURCHES	CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	29 No. church-type missions started during the year	30 No. church-type missions currently operating	31 No. other-type missions started during the year	32 No. other-type missions currently operating	33 No. New Sunday School Members	34 No. persons completing witness training	35 ($) Annie Armstrong Offering	36 Kindergarten enrollment	37 N= none R= radio TV= TV B= both	38 Number of revivals	39 Number S.S. Members not church members	40 No. of college students baptized	41 Deaf Sunday School enrollment	42 No. of persons who served in a missions/evangelism project in U.S.	43 No. of persons who served in a missions/evangelism project overseas	44 N= none V= volunteer P= paid	45 Number of families signing Bible Study Commitment Cards	46 Begin weekly workers meet.	47 New Baptist Hymnal '75	48 Begin visitation program	49 History committee	50 Baptist Men's Day	51 Seminary degree	52 Christian Literature Day	53 State paper in budget
Antioch	Richard Ward, Route 4, Box 140-A, Whiteville					15	0	215	0	N	2	4	0	0	0	0	N	0	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	NY	
Boardman																										
Bolton	J. P. Godwin, Box 228, Bolton							245			2															
Brunswick	Eugene Stevens, 403 W. Williamson St., Whiteville					10	20	195	0	N	3	10					N	0	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	NN	
Calvary	John Giles, Route 1, Box H-75, Whiteville					29	0	3	0	N	5						N	0	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	NN	
Cedar Grove																										
Cerro Gordo	C. W. Greene, Jr., Box 93, Cerro Gordo					19	17	677	0	N	2	17					N	0	N	N	N	N	Y	N	NY	
Chadbourn	Leo Mercer, Box 473, Chabourn					31	0	830	0	N	2	18					V	0	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	NY	
Cheerful Hope	M. M. Saunders, Route 1, Box 66-B, Delco					15	0	826	0	N	2	11					N	0	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	NY	
Cherry Grove	Beasley Strickland, Route 2, Tabor City						12		0	N	2	33			3	0	N	0	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	NN	
China Grove																										
Clarendon	Bobby Stanley, Route 1, Box 2, Clarendon					13		1,200		N	2	5			1		N			Y	N	Y	Y	N	NN	
Corinth	Edward Bullard, Route 3, Chadbourn							100		N	2						V		N	Y	N	Y	N	N	NN	
Delco	N. A. Lane, Route 2, Box 108, Riegelwood					6				N	1	12			5		N	0	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	NY	
Evergreen	Hubert Bartley, Route 1, Evergreen							1,162		N	2						V	0	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	NN	
Fair Bluff								1,058		R	1		1				N		N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	NY	
Faith	Randy Horne, Route 5, Box 62, Whiteville							100		N	1						V		N	N	Y	N	N	Y	NN	
Forest Lawn	Cecil Stanley, Route 2, Tabor City									N	2	6					N		N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	NN	
Friendly Chapel	Garnet Holcomb, Route 5, Box 102, Whiteville									N	1						N									
Gapway	J. D. Lovette, Route 1, Box 357, Green Sea, S. C.									N	2	14					N		N							
Hallsboro	Wyne Tyler, Route 1, Box 186, Hallsboro					6		411		N	1	3	1				N		N	N	Y	N	Y	Y	NN	
Hinson's Cross Roads	Francis Floyd, Box 263, Fair Bluff							423		N	2	5			1		N		N	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	YN	
Iron Hill	Faxon Ray, Route 1, Box 88, Tabor City					12				N	2	6					N									
Lake Waccamaw	Terry Harrelson, Box 165, Lake Waccamaw	0	1	0	1	10	0	521	0	N	0	20					V		N	N	N	N	Y	N	NN	
Macedonia	J. B. Williamson, Route 1, Evergreen					13				N	2						N		N	Y	N	N	N	Y	NN	
Mount Zion								440			2						N		N	N	N	N	Y	N	NY	
Nakina	Roy Clark, Route 1, Nakina					20		150		N	2	17	2				N		N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	YN	
New Hope	E. L. White, Route 3, Box 61, Whiteville					10		393		N	2	25			2		V		N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	NY	
Oak Dale	Charles Horne, Route 1, Box 250, Whiteville					13		155		N	2						N								Y	
Peace																										
Piney Forest	Raymond Yates, Route 3, Chadbourn									N	2	3					V		N	N	Y	N	Y		NY	
Pleasant Hill	Howard Bullock, Route 1, Box 43, Chadbourn					9		451		N	2	12					V		N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	NN	
Pleasant Plains	John Paul Millican, Route 4, Whiteville					3	2	771		N	0	10					V		Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	NN	
Porter Swamp	Larry Bullard, Cerro Gordo					19		131		N	2	15					V		N	Y	Y	N	Y	N	NN	
Riegelwood	William McRae, Box 164, lwood					10		1,650		N	2	20					V		N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	NN	
Smyrna	Claude Hooks, Route 2, urn							405		N	2	10					V		N	N	N	Y	N	Y	NY	
Sweet Home	Bruce Simmons, Route Box 182, Chadbourn							812		N	2	10					N							Y	NN	
Tabor City	Frank Stanley, Box 427, Tabor City							2,250		R	1						V		N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	NY	
Trinity	Tom Ray, Route 6, Box 139-AA, Whiteville	1						2,400		R	2						V		Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N	NY	
Union Chapel	Alva Squires, Route 1, Box 45, Bolton									N	1	10					N									
Union Valley	Dan Collum, Route 1, Whiteville					10				N	2						N		N	N	Y					
Western Prong	Henry Martin, Route 1, Whiteville					7		1,537		N	2	6					V		N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	NY	
Westside	Robert Allen, 304 Elizabeth Street, Tabor City							420		N	2						N		N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	NN	
White Marsh	Carlton Baldwin, Route 2, Box 117, Whiteville					2		534		N	2	8					V		N	N	N	N	Y	Y	NN	
Whiteville First																										
Whiteville West	Ray Galloway, Route 6, Box 134, Whiteville					5		200		N	2						N		N	N	N	Y	Y	N	NY	
Williamson's X Rds.	George Dillard, Evergreen							175		N	2															
North Whiteville																										

DIGEST OF LETTERS

IMPORTANT This table is for use by the clerk in any way helpful. It is not to be sent to the state convention office or Southern Baptist Convention office.

		13	14	18	21	25	66	71	85	97	113	123	128	139	150
NAME OF CHURCH	County	Total baptisms	Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)	Grand total present members	Number of tithers	Value of church property (incl. pastor's home)	Ongoing Sunday School enrolment	Church Vacation Bible School enrolment	Church Training enrolment	Ongoing Church Music enrolment	Ongoing W.M.U. enrolment	Ongoing Brotherhood enrolment	Total receipts	Cooperative Program	Grand total mission expenditures
Antioch	Col.	8	10	224	15	266,043	164	68	72	48	24		38,023	1,643	3,111
Boardman	Col.														
Bolton	Col.	0	1	113	10	0	113	67		32	6		46,967	74	4,228
Brunswick	Col.	9	12	142	10	200,000	102	63	33	30	17		25,460	1,130	2,900
Calvary	Col.	11	4	322	100	375,000	101	60		30	26		55,856	800	5,496
Cedar Grove	Col.														
Cerro Gordo	Col.	8	3	320	40	325,000	161	100	56	54	48	28	54,074	4,576	7,872
Chadbourn	Col.	11	5	476	25	1,500,000	218	99		57	115		82,632	5,731	10,216
Cheerful Hope	Col.	5	3	73	12	35,000	94	58		29	43	16	26,616	2,170	3,913
Cherry Grove	Col.	15	2	449		0	231	98	76	54	43	62	78,513	4,387	8,757
China Grove	Col.														
Clarendon	Col.	4	1	215	37	250,000	119	0	64	58	45	18	42,137	1,000	5,583
Corinth	Col.	0	2	114	12	80,000	59	0					22,408	100	709
Delco	Col.	4	1	189	26	200,000	133	84	28	52	41	20	41,032	3,684	9,418
Evergreen	Col.	3	3	260		441,036	240	75		61	26		48,887	3,700	11,023
Fair Bluff	Col.	14	12	484	10	350,000	222	76		65	69	66	108,544	5,383	
Faith	Col.	0	0	75	13	150,000	49	24	7	8	16		17,860	415	1,150
Forest Lawn	Col.	1	1	200	12	205,000	168	68		47	9		39,143	375	900
Friendly Chapel	Col.	7	0	75	16	50,000	62	40		16	14	9	15,000		
Gapway	Col.	4	2	5	3	100,000	105	67	8	16	10	12	8,479		1,368
Hallsboro	Col.	4	11	464	15	110,000	121	69		14	26		46,575	3,958	7,091
Hinson's Cross Roads	Col.	3	7	264	20	385,000	298	78	116	68	36	46	41,326	1,914	3,962
Iron Hill	Col.	6	5	178	14	100,000	118	64		24			24,441	1,106	2,312
Lake Waccamaw	Col.	1	9	344	10	360,000	145	0	7	45	22		39,350	1,125	3,761
Lennon's Cross Roads	Col.	8	2	265	60	550,000	177	101	80	68	64	43	82,801	10,169	20,726
Macedonia	Col.	31				175,000	245	82		44			54,104	200	1,840
Mount Zion	Col.	4	6	182	5	130,000	104	46		37	26		24,200	672	1,984
Nakina	Col.	4	5	74	75	223,373	100	75	50	44	13		51,716	753	2,808
New Hope	Col.	11	8	454	10	425,000	71	85	126	98	97		80,172	9,057	13,052
Oak Dale	Col.	4	5	218	15	100,000	87	45		27	19	14	21,491	710	1,315
Peace															
Piney Forest	Col.	0	0	127	21	150,000	66	0	23	9	27	11	28,222	2,257	7,055
Pleasant Hill	Col.	23	4	253		225,000	141	78	16	42	52				
Pleasant Plains	Col.	0	4	3	12	500,000	106	0	36	16	29		35,300	4,187	7,377
Porter Swamp	Col.	2	1	263		300,000	131	60	63	42	27	8	46,800	1,851	3,413
Riegelwood	Col.	2	1	263		300,000	232	90		52	62	84	87,065	8,997	30,000
Smyrna	Col.	1	6	266	30	300,000	143	46	1	48	70	1	46,520	5,193	8,860
Sweet Home	Col.	1	2	283	10	530,000	140	95	68	87	20		44,588	74	1,691
Tabor City	Col.	15	14	844		1,198,000	397	220	163	249	132	77	419,628	19,264	32,844
Trinity	Col.	15	36	876	18	700,000	680	187	122	169	132	89	181,865	16,904	43,685
Union Chapel	Col.	0	0	118	3	45,000	64	5					8,194	2,500	47
Union Valley	Col.	10	9	209	21	225,000	88	49	40	49	25	11	32,798	1,200	2,767
Western Prong	Col.	7	8	448	75	5,000,000	273	85	70	75	91	39	83,136	7,820	16,635
Westside	Col.	12	6	161	42	160,000	129	68	70	15	35	55	39,868	1,200	3,130
White Marsh	Col.	5	0	271	11	150,000	120	74		54	57		34,962	2,074	5,277
Whiteville First	Col.														
Whiteville West	Col.	6	3	173	12	100,000	51	52	2	21	9		18,348	424	1,004
Williamson's Cross Roads	Col.	3	2	215	11	150,000	93	46		42	25			2,000	5,457
North Whiteville	Col.														

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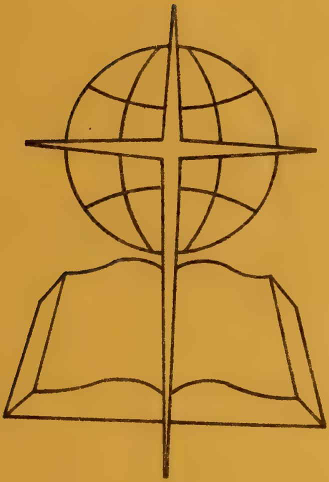

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CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

PREAMBLE

We, the messengers of Baptist Churches of Columbus County, do hereby propose to establish and maintain the order and rules of a District Association in conformity to the following plan:

ARTICLE 1. NAME

This organization shall be known as the Columbus Baptist Association.

ARTICLE II. OBJECTIVES

The objectives of the Association shall be to elicit, combine, and direct the energies of Columbus Baptists in advancing the Redeemer's Kingdom throughout the earth, more especially along the lines recommended and adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention, the North Carolina Baptist State Convention, and the Association itself, to promote the fellowship and good will among the Churches; and to devise and promote measures for increasing the harmony, intelligence and spiritual powers of the churches.

ARTICLE III. MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. This Association shall be composed of regularly constituted Baptist Churches in Columbus County that shall be represented at its regular or special meetings by duly elected messengers in the following ratio: (1) Three (3) for the first one hundred members or fraction thereof, and one for each fifty (50) additional members, but provided that no church may have more than ten (10) messengers. (2) All ordained ministers who are serving as pastor within the Association, Associational Officers and Committee members.

Section 2. Messengers shall be members in good standing with the church they represent, and their names must appear on the letter from their church to the Association to entitle them to be seated as messengers.

Section 3. The Association shall be sole judge of its membership, and may reject or receive churches applying for membership therein at its pleasure, provided that the churches so received shall come under the watchcare of the Association for a period of one year. During this period such church or churches shall be entitled to all the rights and privileges of the Association except that of their members voting or holding office. At the conclusion of this period, should no valid objection be raised, they become members in regular standing by action of the Association.

Section 4. The Association shall encourage the organizing of new Baptist Churches within Columbus County under the leadership of any pastor, Church, Churches, or interested persons of the Association. If a new church contemplates being received into the fellowship of the Association after its organization, those who are to compose its charter membership and those leading in its organization are urged to seek the counsel of the Executive Promotion Committee and shall proceed with the organization only after approval is given.

Section 5. A Church seeking admission into the Association shall present its application to the Credentials Committee and furnish the Committee with such information as it may require about the Church. The Committee may then recommend that such Church be received under the watchcare of the Association for the period of one year from the date of that Associational Meeting.

Section 6. The Association may, at any time, dissolve connection with any church that becomes disorderly in practice or that fails to represent itself either by messengers or letter for two (2) consecutive sessions without sufficient reason or that ceases to be missionary in practice. The support of the causes fostered by the denomination at large and of this Association in particular shall be the test of each church as a missionary body.

Section 7. The New Testament shall be accepted as the sole guide in matters of doctrine and practice, and the Association shall reserve the right to withdraw fellowship from any church that does not conform thereto.

ARTICLE IV. POWERS AND PREROGATIVES

The Association shall have no power whatsoever to infringe upon the right of the churches. It may advise or recommend matters to usefulness for their adoption and guidance but cannot bind them in any way. All the churches constituting the Association remain sovereign and independent bodies and unite only that they may more effectively promote the causes of Christ throughout the world.

ARTICLE V. DUTIES OF CHURCHES

It shall be the duty of each church to appoint messengers, to insist upon their attendance at Associational Meetings, to contribute toward the expense of the Association, and to send annually a report to the Association which gives information requested in forms provided by the Associational Clerk.

ARTICLE VI. ORGANIZATION

Section 1. The General Officers shall be a Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian and Three (3) Trustees.

Section 2. Additional Officers shall be the Associational Director of Sunday School, Church Training Director, W.M.U. Director, Brotherhood Director, Music Director, Library Director, Chairman of Evangelism, and others as needed including a full slate of organizational officers as recommended by the Educational Division of the Baptist Sunday School Board.

Section 3. The Nominating Committee shall recommend the officers to the Association. However, the Association reserves the right to make other nominations for any and all offices and committees.

Section 4. The offices of Clerk and Treasurer may be held by the same person.

Section 5. The General Officers and additional officers as specified in Section 2 of this Article shall be elected at the Spring Session and shall be installed and assume their duties at the close of the Fall Session of the current year and continue their duties until the successors are installed at the next Fall Session unless removed for cause, or until their successors are appointed.

Section 6. The term of office for Moderator and Vice-Moderator shall not exceed two (2) years in succession. All other officers may be re-elected to succeed themselves in office at the pleasure of the Association.

Section 7. All officers and committees shall be members of the churches affiliated with the Association.

Section 8. The term of office for all members of committees shall be for three (3) years. One third of the members shall be elected annually.

Section 9. Vacancies in these offices or committees that may occur between the Annual Sessions of the Association shall be filled for the remainder of the Associational year by the Executive Promotion Committee.

ARTICLE VII. DUTIES OF OFFICERS

Section 1. It shall be the duty of the Moderator to preside when the Association is in session and serve as Chairman of the Executive Promotion Committee. The Moderator shall also appoint a five (5) member Committee on Committees within ten (10) days after the Annual Meeting of the Association.

Section 2. It shall be the duty of the Vice-Moderator to preside in the absence of the Moderator and to assist him in every way possible and to succeed to the office of Moderator if and when during his tenure the office of Moderator becomes vacant.

Section 3. It shall be the duty of the Clerk to keep an accurate record of the meetings of the Association and prepare minutes to be distributed as soon thereafter as possible. He/she shall serve as secretary of the Executive Promotion Committee.

Section 4. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to keep an accurate record of the money paid into his hands, pay all bills as they become due and to make an annual report to the Association. He/she shall make a written report of the financial condition to the Associational Council and provide written reports to the Executive Promotion Committee when requested. He/she shall make a monthly report to the Associational office. He/she shall be a member of the Finance Committee.

Section 5. It shall be the duty of the Historian to collect minutes of each session of the Association and have these bound into book form every ten (10) years and to assist in any way possible in keeping records of the history of the Association. He/she shall submit a short history of two (2) different churches at each Annual Meeting to be incorporated into the Associational minutes each year until all churches have a written history in the minutes. The churches shall be taken in alphabetical order. Any new church shall be put at the bottom of the list.

Section 6. It shall be the duty of the Associational Director of Sunday School, Church Training Director, W.M.U. Director, Music Director, Brotherhood Director and Library Director to lead in the promotion of the activities of the organization of which he/she is head, and to preside over the meetings of the organization. These officers shall bring a report of their work to each quarterly meeting of the Associational Council.

Section 7. It shall be the duty of the Trustees to hold in trust all property of the Association.

Section 8. All reports, both Associational and Denominational, shall not exceed three hundred (300) words except the Treasurer's Report and the Director of Missions.

ARTICLE VIII. RULES OF ORDER

Section 1. All business shall be conducted and all discussions carried on in the manner prescribed in "Roberts' Rules of Order Revised".

Section 2. The method of voting shall be by show of hands or by the will of the body.

Section 3. The simple majority shall prevail in all cases except as otherwise provided in this Constitution, provided that any member may at any time call for a written ballot or roll call of doubtful issues.

Section 4. A ruling by the presiding officer shall be final unless appeal be had from such ruling to the entire body present.

Section 5. A question having been decided twice by vote in the same attitude at a regular session of the Association shall not be introduced again except by consent of the body as expressed by a majority vote.

Section 6. At least one-fifth of the messengers enrolled shall be necessary to constitute a quorum.

ARTICLE IX. TIME OF MEETING

Section 1. The Association shall hold its annual meeting on Tuesday before the 4th Sunday in October and a Spring Inspirational Meeting on Tuesday before the 4th Sunday in April. However, in the case of some unavoidable circumstances that makes a change in the date of the annual meeting necessary, either the Associational Council or the Executive Promotion Committee, preferably the Executive Promotion Committee, shall have the authority to change said date provided at least two (2) weeks in advance of the new date for the annual meeting.

Section 2. In the event of some emergency that makes a called meeting of the Association necessary, either the Associational Council or the Executive Promotion Committee shall have the authority to call for a special meeting of the Association, provided that a notice of the time and place and purpose of such a called meeting shall be mailed to the Pastors and Clerks of the Churches of the Association at least two (2) weeks in advance of the time set for the called meeting.

ARTICLE X. THE ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR

Section 1. The Associational year shall begin the first of October and close the last day of the following September.

ARTICLE XI. THE EXECUTIVE PROMOTION COMMITTEE

Section 1. The Executive Promotion Committee shall be composed of the Pastor of each church in the Association, the two (2) members (either men or women) represented by each church in the Association on the church letter, and the following Associational officers: Associational Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, W.M.U. Director, Brotherhood Director, Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian, Music Director, Library Director, and Chairmen of all standing committees.

Section 2. It shall act for the Association in the interim between the annual sessions.

Section 3. The duty of this committee shall be to carry out the policies and will of the Association. It shall not take any action contravening the will of the Association; nor shall it initiate any new policies or practices binding on the Association unless specificially directed, provided: That in an adequate emergency it may take such action as it may deem necessary, but such action shall in every case be submitted to the next meeting of the

Association for appropriate consideration. It shall make a full and complete report of its activities at the next Associational Meeting. It shall meet quarterly and as often thereafter as is necessary to carry out the policies and will of the Association. A meeting of this committee may be called at any time by the chairman, and it shall be his duty to call a meeting upon the request of any five (5) members of this committee.

ARTICLE XII. ASSOCIATIONAL COUNCIL

Section 1. The Association shall have an Associational Council composed of the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Church Training Director, Sunday School Director, W.M.U. Director, Brotherhood Director, Music Director, Library Director, Chairman of Finance, Evangelism, Missions Committee and Pastor/ Staff Self Enrichment Committee of the Pastors' Conference. The representative shall be selected by the Pastors' Conference.

Section 2. The Vice-Moderator shall be chairman of this Council.

Section 3. This Council shall counsel and advise any committee or church in the Columbus Baptist Association on any subject which has been submitted to it.

Section 4. This Council shall meet prior to the regular meeting of the Executive Promotion Committee. The chairman of this Council shall bring to each of the Executive Promotion Committee a report of its work.

Section 5. This Council is responsible for the supervision of the work of the Director of Missions and shall study carefully the program of work for the entire Association and the needs of all the churches. In the light of this study, the Council shall work out an annual Calendar of Activities for the Association to be presented to the Executive Promotion Committee, to run concurrently with the Calendar Year.

ARTICLE XIII. STANDING COMMITTEES AND DUTIES

Section 1. Committee on Committees - This Committee shall be composed of five (5) members which said members shall come from different churches within the Association.

(a) It shall be the duty of this Committee to present at the annual meeting of the Association when called upon by the Moderator, a nomination for the membership of all standing committees of the Association unless otherwise provided in this Constitution.

Secton 2. Nominating Committee - The Nominating Committee shall be composed of at least five (5) members. The Nominating Committee shall nominate all officers proposed by the Constitution. After they are nominated the Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, W.M.U. Director, Music Director, Baptist Men's Director and Librarian shall enlist and propose a full slate of organizational leaders to the Nominating Committee. After the Nominating Committee make its report to the Association, other nominations shall be in order from the floor.

Section 3. Program Committee - The duty of this Committee is to plan the program for the annual meeting of the Association and bring it to the Executive Promotion Committee for discussion and approval. The Committee should begin its work well in advance of the meeting of the Association and should make sure that those requested to make reports are prepared and on hand. Copies of the program should be prepared and distributed to the messengers and visitors at the Associational Meeting.

Section 4. Finance Committee - This Committee should keep a close watch on the needs of the Association for an adequate budget and for a well-balanced program of work and should be prepared to bring to the Association in Annual Session a proposed budget. This Committee should also be prepared to advise the Treasurer of the Association during the year concerning the items in the budget to the end that the Association may be kept in a healthy financial condition. It shall be the duty of the Committee to see that an audit of the Treasurer's books be made following the close of the Associational Year and presented to each Annual Meeting of the Association.

Section 5. Credentials Committee -

a. It shall be the work of this Committee to make proper investigation of churches that express a desire to affiliate with the Association concerning their being orthodox in faith and cooperative in spirit, to report to the Association in Annual Session their findings and recommendations concerning the acceptance or rejection of such churches.

b. If invited this Committee shall go to any church for the purpose of edifying Christian fellowship.

Section 6. Committee on Ordination.

a. This Committee shall consist of three (3) ordained ministers presently serving as pastors in the Association and two (2) ordained deacons.

b. This Committee shall serve only in an advisory capacity and, when invited by a church in the Association, shall assist in the examination, preparation and ordination of candidates for the Gospel Ministry.

Section 7. Committee on Evangelism - This Committee should seek to keep alive the fires of evangelism in all the meetings of all the organizations of the Association, encourage evangelistic services in churches not reporting baptisms and help provide evangelistic services in unchurched sections within the bounds of the Association, to organize and promote the Simultaneous Revivals, and to promote any County-wide Evangelistic services. This Committee shall be organized in accordance with the suggested Southern Baptist Program of Evangelism.

Section 8. Missions Committee - This Committee shall keep alert to any development that may make a new church or branch Sunday School necessary, counsel with group considering a new church or branch Sunday School about the necessity of such organizations, assist in organizing new churches, seek to encourage the best location possible when new churches are formed. This Committee shall also, when invited by the Vacation Bible School Director or the Director of Missions, assist in promoting and maintaining Vacation Bible School wherever needed in the Association. It shall encourage pastorless, part-time churches to form fields with pastors located as near the center as possible, assist churches when called upon or when there is an evident need, when such is welcomed, to find most suitable pastors, and to serve as a contact for worthy men desiring to become pastors.

Section 9. Committee on Denominational Agencies - This Committee shall consist of one person representing each of the following: Cooperative Program, Baptist Hospital, Children's Homes, Denominational Literature, Homes for the Aging, Baptist Colleges, Ministers' Retirement, and any other cause, agency or institution deemed advisable. It shall be the responsibility of each of these to see that the interests of these caues and agencies are kept before the Association and churches at all times, and that proper report concerning the progress and needs of these causes and agencies are presented to the Associational Meetings.

Section 10. Committee on Libraries - It shall be the duty of this Committee to plan and promote church library work in the Association. It should encourage each church without a library to start one, and help in stabilizing those already in operation. The Committee should assist churches in starting their libraries and help them in organizing their library committee. The Committee should also plan and promote a program of training for all church librarians.

Section 11. Constitutional Committee - It shall be the duty of the Committee to study the Constitution of our Association and to recommend to the Association at its Annual Session such changes, amendments or revisions as may be deemed necessary and appropriate in accordance with the needs of the Columbus Baptist Association.

Section 12. Resolutions Committee - It shall be the duty of this Committee to prepare and present to the Association at its Annual Session such resolutions and other reports as may be appropriate and in order for consideration by the Association.

Section 13. Time, Place and Preacher Committee - It shall be the duty of this Committee to plan and prepare for the sessions of the Columbus Baptist Association and to secure a preacher and alternate for the Fall Session and to do such other acts and things as may be necessary to provide the proper facilities for such Annual Meetings of the Columbus Baptist Association.

Section 14. Christian Social Ministries - The work of this Committee is to create an awareness in the Baptist churches of Columbus Baptist Association of the teachings and ministries of Jesus Christ in attempting to meet the needs of the total person in light of the Gospel. Workshops will be held to point out needs of persons and possible ways in which we may become involved to meet those needs.

Section 15. Christian Life Council - The work of the Christian Life Council is to be alert and call to the attention any encroachment upon our religious freedom. Working through its chairman it shall report at each Executive Promotion Committee meeting any matter that appears to be in contradiction to our belief.

Section 16. Deacon Representative - The Deacon Representative shall be responsible for seeing that at least one training session (workshop or retreat) shall be conducted for deacons from across the Association during each Associational Year.

Section 17. Energy Consultant - The Energy Consultant will prepare himself to the extend that he will stand ready to make suggestions on how a church may conserve energy.

ARTICLE XIV. REVISION

This Constitution may be immediately revised at any regular session of the Association by a two-thirds vote of the messengers present provided notice of such revision shall be given in the afternoon session and then voted on in the evening session.

GUIDELINES FOR THE
DIRECTOR OF ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS

I. EMPLOYMENT

A. HOW EMPLOYED

1. The Association employs its Director upon the recommendation of the Associational Council and by vote of the Association in the Annual Session or by the Executive Promotion Committee between sessions.

B. TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT

1. The Director is employed for an indefinite period of time. The Association or the Executive Promotion Committee may terminate the service of the Director by vote provided that sixty (60) days notice has been given before services are terminated. The missionary may terminate his services provided sixty (60) days notice is given. By agreement of the Director and the executive Promotion Committee the sixty (60) days may not be required.
2. Salary for the Director shall be paid as stated in the budget of the Association.
3. Retirement for the Director is provided by the Association by paying an amount equal to 10% of his salary for retirement funds.
4. A housing allowance, a travel allowance, and convention and conference allowances are provided as stated in the budget.
5. The Director is allowed two (2) weeks of vacation time annually to be taken at his discretion. Vacation time may not be accumulated.
6. The Director may hold two (2) weeks of revivals each year, exclusive of vacation time for which he may keep any honorarium given.
7. The Director shall be allowed sick leave with pay for a period of two (2) weeks annually, the total credit thus accumulated not to exceed forty-four (44) business days. Should illness exceed the accumulated sick leave time, the vacation time may be added to cover additional days.
8. The Director will establish and maintain office hours enabling the public to contact him at the prescribed hours.
9. The "Normal work week will be five (5) days. The Director will arrange with the Associational Council as to his 'days off' and holidays."

II. RELATIONSHIPS

A. TO THE ASSOCIATION

1. The Director is responsible to the Associational Council as prescribed by Article XII, Section 5 of the Constitution.
2. The Director recognizes the Moderator as the chief officer of the Association and works in close cooperation with him.
3. The Director counsels with the Associational Council in all matters that relate to his work. This Council is responsible in all budget matters that relate to the living provisions and office arrangements of the Director.
4. The Director shall promote the work of the Association cooperating with the churches, their Pastors and Officers, and the Associational Committees and Officers.
5. The Director of Missions shall make a report to the Associational Council and to the Executive Promotion Committee at their meetings.

B. TO THE CHURCHES

1. The Director may work in the churches upon invitation and as he deems wise.

2. The Director works with the churches only through or with full consent of the pastors.

3. The Director counsels with individuals from churches upon their request concerning individual matters or matters of church programs and may give information to these individuals provided he does not assume the role of pastor to the individual or in any way threatens to impair the relationship of the individual to his pastor.

4. The Director leads and guides the Officers of the Association in planning training events and other programs designed to strengthen the work of the Churches. The Churches are free to avail themselves to these opportunities as they will.

C. TO THE DENOMINATION

1. The Director keeps himself informed about the work of the Conventions and their Agencies and presents this information to the Pastors, Associational Churches, and individuals as he has opportunity.

2. The Director interprets the work of the denomination in the Association and engages the Churches to support the work of the denomination with prayers, personal lives and finances.

III. THE WORK OF THE DIRECTOR

A. ADMINISTRATION

1. The Director is the chief administrative (promotional) officer of the Association. He carries out the programs of the Association as directed by the Association or the Associational Council.

2. Other employees of the Association are responsible to the Director in all matters in which their work relates to the Association.

3. The Director as chief administrative (promotional) officer is responsible for evaluation of all programs and seeks to counsel with the Association concerning their effectiveness and make proposals as to strengthening or improving the Programs.

B. MISSION WORK

1. In cooperation with the Missions Committee, the Director will seek out places of mission need and seek to enlist an appropriate church to meet these needs.

2. In the event no church can be enlisted to meet these needs, upon the instruction of the Missions Committee, the Director may lead in a program to meet the need in the name of the Association.

C. OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES

1. The Director works in close cooperation with the officers of the Association, lending assistance as needed.

2. The Director is an ex-officio member of all committees of the Association.

D. PROMOTION

1. The Director shall promote the whole program of the Association, the Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention.

E. THE OFFICE

1. The office is maintained by the Association for the use of the Director and the necessary staff.

2. The Director is responsible for the operation of the office with guidance as necessary from the Associational Council.

3. He offers counsel and guidance to other office personnel as needed.

4. He keeps on hand needed free materials for churches and members.

5. He prepares calendars, booklets and letters as needed to carry out the duties of his office.

6. He shall mail out a monthly newsletter.

7. He collects periodicals and materials of value for an Associational lirbary.

8. He purchases and provides suggestions for the purchase of audio-visual equipment and materials for loans to churches.

9. He is the chief public relations office of the Association both through the church and through the usual communication media.

10. He may add other duties and responsibilities as directed by the Association or the Associational Council and Executive Promotion Committee.

GUIDELINES FOR OFFICE ASSISTANT

1. The Association shall employ an Office Assistant who is responsible to the Director of Missions and the Associational Council.
2. The Office Assistant shall be acquainted with the function and operation of each piece of equipment.
3. The Office Assistant shall assign upon request any equipment and check it back into the office noting its condition.
4. The Office Assistant is responsible for the cleanliness of the office building.
5. The Office Assistant may have the privilege of doing work other than the Association's during office hours with the compensation contributed to the Association at the rate per hour of the associational pay scale. The Associational work shall take preference over the outside request.
6. The Office Assistant is to supervise anyone using the equipment in the Associational Office during the prescribed office hours.
7. The Office Assistant shall be granted two (2) weeks of vacation per year.

EXCEPTIONS:

1. Only office personnel shall use the IBM typewriter with memory.

COLUMBUS BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Our Association dates back to 1805 when it was first known as Cape Fear. It existed until 1898. For a long time the Cape Fear Association included churches in Robeson, Columbus, Bladen and Brunswick Counties with some in Pender and a few in South Carolina near the state line.

This was twenty-five (25) years before our Baptist State Convention was organized and sixteen (16) years after George Washington became the first President of the United States.

This southeastern part of North Carolina had been thinly settled, but along about this time a number of families had moved into this section from other parts of this and other states. During the prior half century many Scotch and Irish families had come from Europe and settled along the Cape Fear River and outlying territory.

Religious interest had been rather low in some of this territory and churches were few and far between. A few Methodist churches had been organized and Bishop Asbury made a journey through this section in 1801, organizing some other churches.

Some churches believed in missions and some others said that God would save people in His own way and time. In some churches there were men who held to Calvinistic doctrine and beliefs of the Primitive Baptists.

Settlements and farms in this part of the state were widely scattered. Roads were poor and many of the people had very little education. Yet, people at that time appeared to know their neighbors fairly well although their homes might have been thirty or forty miles away. Their usual manner of travel was on horseback when too far to walk.

The churches that are members of the Columbus Baptist Association today that were members of the original association and the date of their acceptance are listed here: Porter Swamp entered the association in 1830; Iron Hill in 1831; Pleasant Plains in 1836; Mount Tabor (Tabor City) in 1838; Macedonia in 1839; Western Prong in 1843; Cherry Grove in 1846; Pleasant Hill in 1848; White Marsh in 1852, (which is also the oldest church in our association, being established in 1765); Whiteville First in 1863; Sweet Home in 1864; Piney Forest in 1869; Cedar Grove in 1870; Gapway and New Hope in 1874; Bogue Chapel (Hallsboro) and Fair Bluff in 1876; Oak Dale in 1884; China Grove in 1890; and Smyrna in 1892.

During the period between the Civil War and the close of the century there were increases in people, farming, roads and schools. There was more interest in church work and in most communities Sunday Schools were organized. Most of the people were poor and living standards continued low for many years. Public schools were available to most children, but usually for only two or three months per year. Many people were illiterate.

In 1888 the first Columbus Baptist Association was formed from churches withdrawing from the Cape Fear Association. This newly organized association remained in existence until 1898. Many of those still existing churches were members. These churches and the year they were admitted to the Association follows:

In 1888, New Hope, Union Valley and Whiteville First became members. Williamson's Cross Roads joined the association in 1898, followed by Chadbourn and China Grove in 1891. The year 1892 brought many additions as the Cross Roads (Lennon's), Griffin's Cross Roads (Evergreen), Mount Tabor (Tabor City), Macedonia, Oak Dale, Piney Forest, Pleasant Hill and Smyrna were accepted. Then in 1894 Cheerful Hope, Cherry Grove and Porter Swamp became members. This association did not exist but eleven (11) years and so in 1899, the Cape Fear - Columbus Association was formed.

Those charter members were Bogue Chapel (which changed its name to Hallsboro in 1924); Cedar Grove, Cheerful Hope, Cherry Grove, China Grove, Lennon's Cross Roads, Macedonia, Mount Tabor (Tabor City), Mount Zion, New Hope, Oak Dale, Piney Forest, Pleasant Hill, Pleasant Plains, Porter Swamp, Smyrna, Sweet Home, Western Prong, White Marsh, Whiteville First and Williamson's Cross Roads. In 1903 Hinson's Cross Roads became a part, Boardman and Union Chapel in 1904, Corinth in 1905, Fair Bluff in 1908, Cerro Gordo and Evergreen in 1909, New Berlin (which changed its name to Delco in 1923) and Lennon's Cross Roads in 1911, Clarendon in 1915, Bolton in 1918 and Union Valley in 1934. Chadbourn and Gapway became members but no dates were given.

In the period before so many churches left the Cape Fear Association there was always a great interest in the annual meeting. Attendance was usually large and the sessions continued from Wednesday or Thursday until Sunday. Many delegates would attend from long distances, considering their means of travel. When the annual meeting was held near a railroad station some would come by train, but in many cases they came by horse and buggy starting the day before the meeting.

The attendance was large and the people started weeks ahead in preparing for the great number of visitors they expected. It took quite a number of pigs and chickens to feed so many. Many of the homes took more guests than they could take care of, but they were glad to have the privilege of entertaining the folds from other churches. Many times the church building would not hold half the crowd and overflow services were held under the trees in the church yard. Many who attended the association were greatly interested in religious services, of course, but the social features were an added attraction. Many of the churches complained if they could not have the associational meeting with their church every few years.

In 1936 the Columbus Baptist Association was formed with the following charter members: Antioch, Boardman, Bolton, Cedar Grove, Cerro Gordo, Chadbourn, Cheerful Hope, Cherry Grove, China Grove, Clarendon, Corinth, Delco, Evergreen, Fair Bluff, Gapway, Hallsboro, Hinson's Cross Roads, Lennon's Cross Roads, Macedonia, Mount Tabor (Tabor City), Mount Zion, New Hope, Oak Dale, Piney Forest, Pleasant Hill, Pleasant Plains, Porter Swamp, Smyrna, Union Valley, Waccamaw (Lake Waccamaw), Western Prong, White Marsh, Whiteville First and Williamson's Cross Roads.

These were followed by Sweet Home in 1940 and Union Chapel in 1941.

In 1949 we saw more interest in the denominational work, such as missions, orphanages, and education than was shown generations before.

Churches have continued to be admitted through the year. These included Iron Hill in 1950.

John T. Biddle came to serve as Superintendent of Missions on July 1, 1950.

Calvary bcame a part in 1951, Brunswick in 1952, Riegelwood in 1953, Forest Lawn in 1955 and Trinity in 1956.

Mr. Biddle resigned as Superintendent of Missions on June 18, 1956.

West Whiteville became a part in 1959.

Henry Powell became Superintendent of Missions on February 15, 1959 and served until July 15, 1961.

He was followed by Arch Cree who served from May 1, 1962 until June 1, 1967.

William Ross came to us on July 6, 1967.

In 1967 Cedar Grove completed a new brick structure, Antioch held its first Homecoming and Trinity began its prison Sunday School ministry.

In 1968 Whiteville First erected a library in February, and Macedonia was offered land for a parking lot on April 14. Also in this year, Oak Dale had land given in May, Sweet Home erected a new educational building and fellowship hall and Antioch observed its Golden Anniversary.

The year 1969 brought about the installation of air conditioning at Antioch and on October 19 Westside held a groundbreaking for a new building. On October 26 Trinity held a groundbreaking for a new sanctuary.

The happenings of 1970 included a note burning on June 13 for Brunswick.

Our Superintendent of Missions, Mr. Ross, resigned July 1, 1970.

We were fortunate in securing Hoyle Langford to become our Superintendent on August 15, 1970.

On August 31 Westside was constituted and became a member of the association. September 20 was the dedication date at Trinity for their sanctuary. November 22 brought the groundbreaking services for Oak Dale's new sanctuary and on December 6 Clarendon held a groundbreaking for its present building.

In 1971 Faith was organized and became a member of the association, as well as Friendly Chapel.

The year 1971 was a giant stepping stone in the life of Columbus Baptist Association. Property and a house was bought for the associational office at 208 South Thompson Street, Whiteville at a cost of $10,000. Special cas gifts were received from Mount Zion, Union Valley, Pleasant Plains, Cherry Grove RA's, Marse Grant, Miss Lena Hughes and an anonymous donor.

The following items were donated: an occasional chair was given by J. A. Applewhite, drapes for the reception room and office were given by thr Trinity WMU, drapes for the conference room were given by New Hope; chairs for the conference room were given by Tabor City. The office desk was given by Whiteville First and a plant was given by Earl Edmunds.

Special services were given by Jack Hooks for legal work and S. P. Stanley gave the appraisal of property.

Those serving as trustees were Arthur Prince of Tabor City, Winfred Richardson of Fair Bluff and Cecil Stanley of Forest Lawn.

The following donated their time in remodeling the building. Gene Ezzell, Carl Hooks, Richard Skipper and Dave Norris of Trinity; Delma Ezzell, Duval Norris, Nathan Lee, Memory Evans, Larry Ezzell and Charles Blackmon of Brunswick; Grover Vaughan and James Leary of Faith; Ed Worley, Jimmy Lanehart and Martin Benton of Western Prong; Paul Johnson of Hallsboro; Walter Rhodes of Pleasant Hill and Colon Ezzell of Pleasant Plains.

When Open House was held, refreshments were served by the WMU Council.

Prior to the purchase of this building, the associational office was located in the home of the Superintendent of Missions at 419 South Franklin Street, Whiteville. The office was relocated in March, 1971.

Also happening in the association was the first service held in its new building at Oak Dale on June 27. Trinity opened a day care center on August 28. On December 12 Oak Dale held a cornerstone laying service.

In 1972 many things continued to happen in the churches. Sweet Home built a sanctuary and Clarendon dedicated its new building which was debt free in seven years. In April Pleasant Hill held its first service in its present sanctuary and Brunswick purchased land for a parsonage. In November Brunswick also purchased an organ and a public address system.

The year 1973 brought about the dedication of the educational building and note burning for Western Prong on January 28. Macedonia had a deed given on November 22 for land to be used as a fellowship hall. During the year Pleasant Hill was debt free of its sanctuary and Sweet Home purchased an organ and piano.

On November 17, 1974, Oak Dale held a note burning for its sanctuary. In November New Hope held a Centennial Program. The characters were descendents of charter members.

In 1975 the association gained another giant step forward. After returning from a mission trip to Ecuador, the Superintendent of Missions shared his vision of a special need there. A goal of $2,500 was set to

raise funds from our association to purchase a church lot there. This goal was surpassed by $1,000. Those churches participating in this mission endeavor included Bolton, Cedar Grove, Chadbourn, Cherry Grove, China Grove, Clarendon, Corinth, Delco, Evergreen, Fair Bluff, Faith, Hallsboro, Iron Hill, Lake Waccamaw, Mount Zion, New Hope, Oak Dale, Piney Forest, Pleasant Hill, Pleasant Plains, Porter Swamp, Riegelwood, Sweet Home, Tabor City, Trinity, Western Prong, Westside, Whiteville First, West Whiteville and Williamson's Cross Roads.

Also in 1975, $1,500 was given for remodeling the associational office.

Happenings in the churches included a tract of land given to Iron Hill, West Whiteville's completed sanctuary and Antioch purchased a new piano. In April Cerro Gordo's parsonage was completed and on November 26 Porter Swamp held dedication services for its new fellowship hall. On December 6 land was given to Macedonia for a new educational building. December 7 brought about the ordination of Neil J. Harrelson by Brunswick.

In 1976 the association voted to change from a two (2) day meeting in the Fall to one day in the Spring for inspiration and one in the Fall for taking care of business. The association was also debt free of the purchase of the associational building.

Happenings in the churches during this year included the educational building for Macedonia being completed, Western Prong remodeled its sanctuary, West Whiteville ereceted a steeple and Pleasant Hill purchased a new Baldwin piano. On June 6 Whiteville First dedicated its pipe organ. On August 26 Westside's educational building was debt free. In September Smyrna purchased land for an educational building and Trinity sold their parsonage. In October Antioch dedicated its new educational building and on October 23 groundbreaking services were held for new facilities at Bolton. December 26 saw Westside's parsonage debt free.

The year 1977 brought changes within the associational leadership. A World Missions Conference was held in February. Mr. Langford resigned April 30.

Among the churches, Delco decided to become full-time and build a parsonage, White Marsh's pews were covered, Williamson's Cross Roads' fellowship hall was built, Sweet Home constructed a new educational building, Riegelwood began a Senior Citizens group and Cherry Grove had the honor of ordaining Elmore Strickland to the Gospel Ministry. In May Pleasant Hill installed central air. August brought the re-location of Calvary and the building of its educational building.

On August 17 Walter Jones became Director of Missions for our association.

November 8 was an important day in the life of Clarendon Baptist Church when a noteburning service was held. Also during the year an addition was built on the church. November 22 was the day Bolton held its first services in its new building.

The year 1978 was filled with growth among the churches. Porter Swamp had a facial uplift, added padded pews and wainscoting. Sweet Home added

a paved parking lot and Cerro Gordo purchased a new organ. Bolton dedicated its new building on January 8 and sold the old building on March 18. Trinity held dedication services for its new sign on March 15. In June Brunswick sold its parsonage and the church exceeded its budget for the year over $16,000. In August Thomas and Kim Hinton of Trinity were off to Tanzania, East Africa as journeymen for two years. Antioch held groundbreaking services for its sanctuary on September 4. Faith dedicated their building on October 1 they had purchased from Calvary. At the October annual meeting Nakina was accepted into member of the association.

The year 1979 held its important events also. Hinson's Cross Roads remodeled its nursery and painted its church and parsonage, White Marsh purchased a new organ, Whiteville First covered their pews and a memorial garden was established, Pleasant Hill installed new capet in the sanctuary, while Lennon's Cross Roads completed its fellowship hall and Pleasant Plains dedicated a church library. March brought the completion of the Delco parsonage. On July 17 Bolton's steeple was erected and November 25 saw the ordaining of Dennis Phillips, Minister of Music, at Whiteville First, to the Gospel Minsitry. At the annual associational meeting in October Peace was accepted into our fellowship.

The year 1980 was filled with events in the churches. The association employed its first full-time office assistant. She was Wanda Thompson Horton. Events occuring included Chadbourn paying off an indebtedness of property, Faith installed heating and air as well as new lighting, Trinity purchased a new piano, Union Valley began a ministry to shutins, Westside bricked its building, White Marsh made improvements to its parsonage, Cerro Gordo dedicated a new brass Bible stand and candlesticks as well as several men from Trinity being recognized by Governor Hunt for their prison Sunday School ministry.

January 6 brought happiness to New Hope when it broke ground for its new educational building. Also in Janaury 6 Antioch held its first services in its new building.

January brought sadness to the Tabor City church when it was destroyed by fire. They did not sit still though and immediately began to remodel the old parsonage for the purpose of using it for offices. New construction of the educational building was begun soon.

In February Nakina purchased land for a new building. March brought to Delco its first full-time pastor, Dr. George N. Knight. On March 16 Antioch held dedication servces for its new sanctuary.

Delco held a noteburning service on June 29 for its new parsonage. Calvary's sanctuary was completed in October and Peace held dedication services November 9 for its new building. New Hope held dedication services for its new educational buidling on November 2.

In 1981 things were continuing to prosper all over the association. A special committee was formed to look into the future needs of our association.

A most impressive World Missions Conference was held February 22 - 29 with twenty-five (25) churches participating. They included Brunswick, Cerro Gordo, Chadbourn, Cheerful Hope, Cherry Grove, China Grove, Clarendon,

Corinth, Delco, Evergreen, Fair Bluff, Hinson's Cross Roads, Lake Waccamaw, Mount Zion, New Hope, Piney Forest, Pleasant Hill, Pleasant Plains, Riegelwood, Smyrna, Sweet Home, Tabor City, Trinity, Western Prong, and Whiteville First. The foreign missionaries included Robert Williams (Honduras), Mrs. Clarence (Ruth) Griffin (Indonesia), Doug Bryant (Ghana), Marvin Reynolds, (Botswana) and James Crittendon (Phillipines). The home missionaries were Ray Slaughter and Herbert Slaughter of West Virginia, Clyde Risen and Eugene Warrick of New Jersey and Terrell Moore of Ohio. Our state missionaries came from Baptist Hospital who sent Calvin Knight, Neal Peyton who works with our deaf and E. C. (Cleve) Wilkie who is coordinator of our cooperative effort with the West Virginia convention to build 200 churches by 1985.

Also Delco began the Deacon Ministry Plan, Union Chapel completed a new fellowship hall, bricked the church and added air and central heat, as well as a new vestibule. Union Valley began construction of a fellowship hall, White Marsh was happy to be debt free and West Whiteville covered their pews. On February 23 Williamson's Cross Roads organized WMU in their church. In the early morning hours of April 23 Cedar Grove lost its building to fire.

July brought a vision not experienced before when Riegelwood Church enlisted sixty-six (66) people to spend the week of July 13 - 17 in Kingwood, West Virginia constructing a church building, taking religious censuses and conducting Backyard Bible Clubs. This enthusiasm has certainly been caught up in the association and it is hoped that the summer of 1982 (July 12 - 16), will lead some 200 people to this vision also to participating in completing this building and minister in more ways. Members of several other churches participated in this mission endeavor. Their testimonies are over-whelming of what God did through them while they were there.

On September 20 dedication services were held for the new educational building at Tabor City. At the annual meeting in October a flag was commissioned to fly at the State Convention in November. This was designed by Dr. George N. Knight and made by Mrs. Dora Adams.

At the present time the association has six (6) Seminary Extension centers across the county with one being conducted in the local prison. Also serving in a prison capacity are three men (Charles Simmons, Bobby Fields and Carl Hooks) who rotate conducting worship services there on Sunday morning.

The lake ministry has proven very successful in that worship services are held each Sunday morning at Dupree Landing for the campers at Lake Waccamaw. Mrs. Sally Council has been so gracious as to let us use her facilities for many years.

There are over one hundred twenty-five (125) tutors and over two hundred (200) students have been taught to read and write since literacy work began. Mrs. Ruth Whitley leads this very important part of the missions endeavors.

Some of the most efficient and time-saving machiney the associational office has purchased in recent years have been a video machine and camera, tape duplicator, electric stenciler, new IBM typewriter with a memory bank and a calculator.

Our grand total membership now is 13,441, resident members are 9,934, Sunday School enrollment is 7,951, Church Training enrollment is 1,298, Brotherhood enrollment is 853, and the total on-going WMU enrollment is 1,857. Our budget for 1981-82 totaled $49,091. Our expenditures for 1980-81 totaled $47,365.14. The recorded values of church properties totaled $13,475,193. These figures were taken from the 1981 annual minutes.

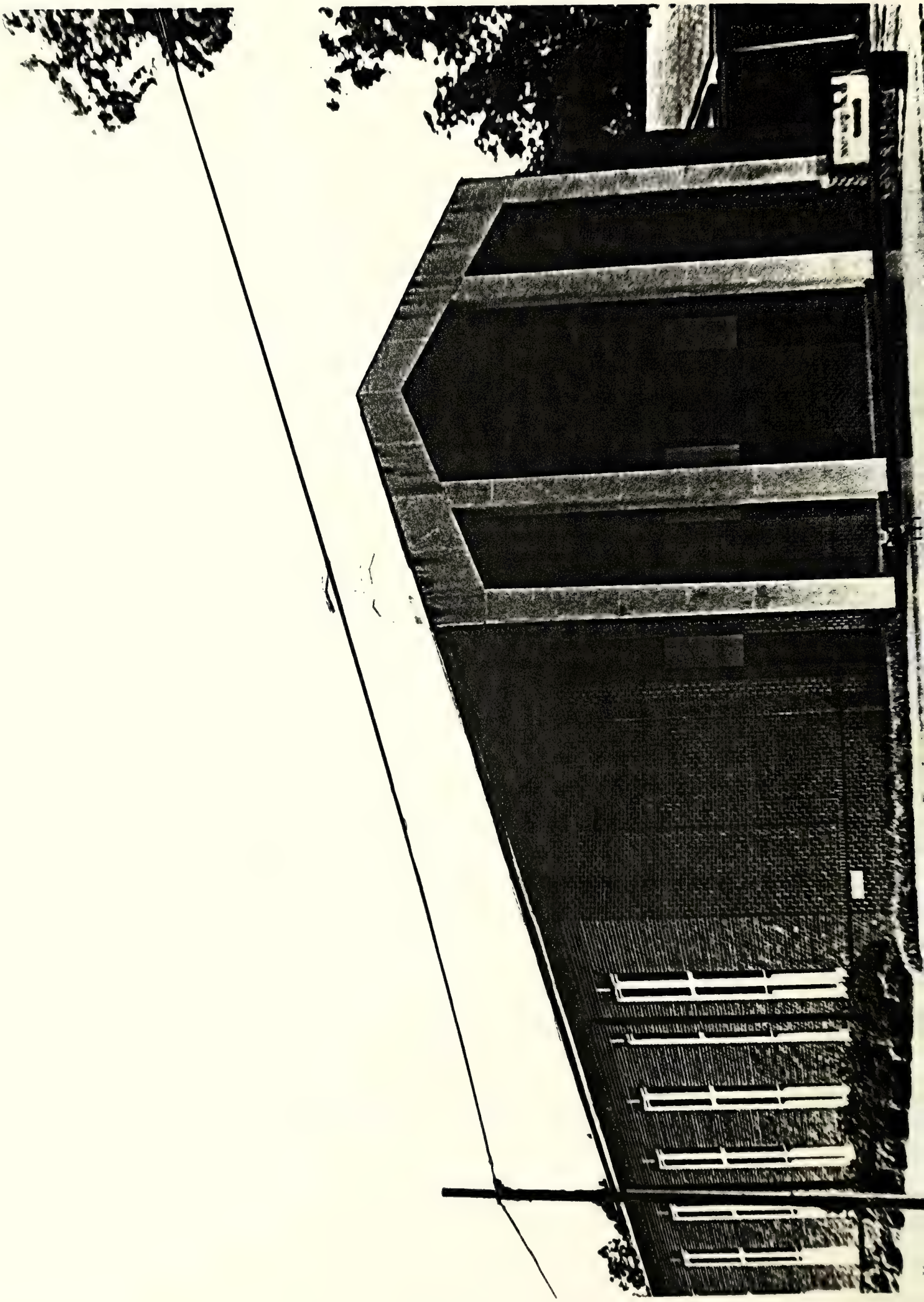
Many of the facts used in preparing this history came from minutes of the Cape Fear-Columbus and Columbus Baptist Associational minutes from 1933, the history compiled in 1967, the Baptist Historical Collection at Wake Forest University, Winston Salem, associational church letters and church histories submitted from each church.

We are looking to 1982 and the future years for greater things to be accomplished through the Lord in our association, in our churches and in our individual lives.

We owe a debt of gratitude to those who have served us in our past years. Words are not adequate to say "thank you." As leaders of the future are growing in Christ daily, we covet your prayers that great visions of mission work continue to be shown us and that we might always be in our Saviour's will.

In 1982 the Association saw the following events happen within the Churches. At Brunswick a shelter and driveway were added as well as the dedication of their baptistry. Cerro Gordo celebrated their 75th anniversary, Nakina completed their fellowship hall and educational building in March, Porter Swamp received a gift of $10,000 for upkeep of the church cemetery, and the Tabor City Youth Choir won first place at the World's Fair in Knoxville, Tennessee in the Choral Festival.

In 1983 Bolton completed its parsonage, Brunswick added a steeple, Cedar Grove held dedication services for their new facilitites on May 29, Delco held ground breaking services for an educational building and fellowship hall, Lennon's Cross Roads licensed Gene L. Hickman, Jr., to the Gospel Ministry on August 14, Oak Dale celebrated it 100th anniversary on September 25, Tabor City began construction of their sanctuary, Union Valley paved its parking lot, Western Prong remodeled its basement and ordained Tommy Fields to the Gospel Minsitry on August 28, and Whiteville First did a face-life of their sanctuary.



TRINITY

Trinity Baptist Church was organized as the Columbus Baptist Mission on October 25, 1953. The mission was sponsored by the First Baptist Church. A house was rented at 108 West Columbus Street as a meeting place. Just prior to the first meeting a house to house survey was taken with Mrs. E. M. Heath, Mrs. A. D. Ward, Sr., and Mrs. J. M. Sauls being instrumental in this canvassing.

Corbin Cooper was called as pastor on January 9, 1955. On November 13, 1955, the church was organized in the chapel of the First Baptist Church with fifty-eight (58) charter members.

The church voted to purchase slightly over two (2) acres of land from J. P. Barkley at the corner of Thompson and Webster Streets for $7,000. The lot was paid in full by the Fall of 1956. This was made possible by aid from the First Baptist Church, Baptist State Convention and many friends.

On May 10, 1957 a committee was appointed to select plans for a future building. The building committee chairman was E. C. Elkins. The estimated cost of this structure is between $35,000 and $40,000. Construction was to begin in September, 1957. A. G. Carter, Jr., was chosen contractor. The church had $10,000 in the building fund. On June 2, 1957 the church voted to rent a five (5) room house located at 404 East Clay Street to serve as the parsonage. On September 1, 1957 groundbreaking services were held for the educational building. On that date the Sunday School enrollment was 178 and church membership totaled 125 with 95 in Church Training.

The first worship service was held on Easter Sunday, 1958 in this part of the plant.

Mr. Cooper's resignation became effective October 4, 1959. On December 27, 1959, Thomas Faircloth was called as pastor.

The parsonage at the corner of Clay and Canal Streets was completed August 1, 1960.

Groundbreaking for the second unit was held Sunday, May 14, 1961. This unit consisted of more classrooms, office space, kitchen and a baptistry in the adult department. This section was occupied on Sunday, October 29, 1961.

Charles Bullock was called pastor in 1964. He was a former member of Trinity and was ordained to the ministry by our church. He served until January, 1968. Jack Gregory served the church from 1968 until 1971.

Groundbreaking for the sanctuary was held on October 26, 1969. On September 20, 1970 the present sanctuary was dedicated. The total cost amounted to $178,000.

A day care center director was appointed on August 28, 1971 and the doors were opened. The center is located in the educational plant and is self-supporting.

Ray Justice became pastor in July, 1973.

TRINITY

Trinity has helped Prince Ayodele Ajiboye from Ghana with his education to become a medical missionary.

The Brotherhood of the church began sponsoring Sunday morning services at the local prison in 1967. In the summer of 1980 Odell Lee and Carl "Buddy" Hooks were recognized by the governor for their dedication to this ministry.

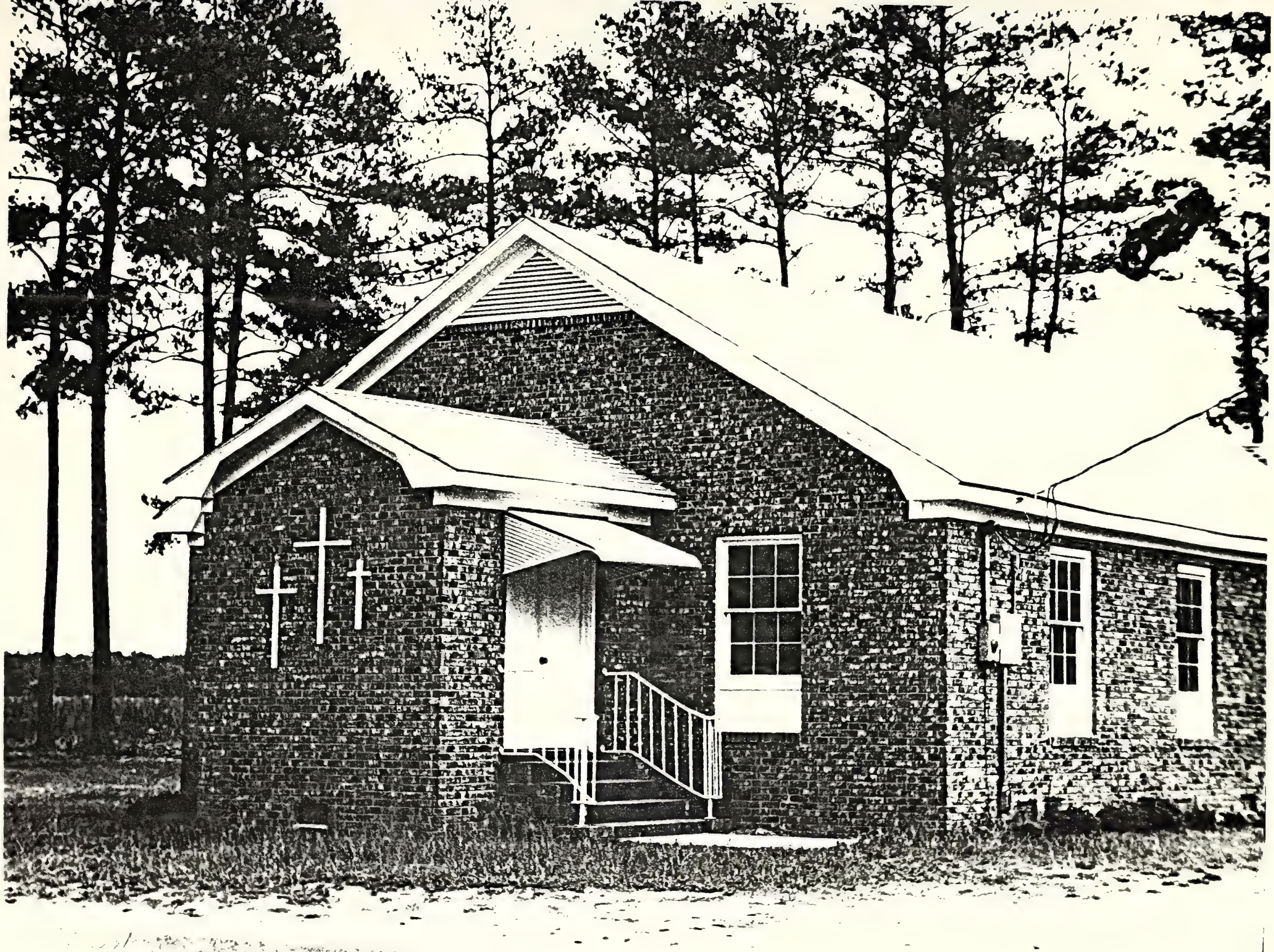
Trinity has had four (4) of its members to be ordained. Stedman Davis was ordained in 1960 and Charles Bullock was ordained later. Michael Thompson was licensed October 19, 1975 and ordained by North Rocky Mount Baptist Church on March 26, 1978. Rudolph Suggs was ordained August 13, 1978.

Thomas and Kim Hinton served in the music and youth ministry from July 13, 1977 until April 23, 1978 when they resigned to accept a call to foreign missions for two years in Tanzania, East Africa. They returned in July, 1980.

In September, 1976 the church voted to sell the parsonage.

The permanent sign in front of the church was dedicated on March 5, 1978 in memory of Mrs. L. A. (Mary Lennie) Williams. The plant stands and brass vases are also placed in Mrs. Williams' memory.

Terry Crouse became Minister of Music on February 25, 1979 and resigned August 2, 1981.



UNION CHAPEL

Union Chapel Baptist Church was established in 1900. Union Chapel congregations have worshipped in two (2) buildings on the present site. The original building was destroyed by fire in 1940 and the records before 1940 were lost or burned.

Shepherd Black, Clyde Council, Willis Burney and J. L. Collins were very instrumental in building our present building.

The church has ordained J. L. Collins, Gaston Hester, Holland Hughes, Vander Simmons, Bruce Lanier and Boyd Williamson to the Gospel Ministry.

J. L. Collins served as pastor from November, 1941 until November, 1944, followed by Gaston Hester from November, 1944 until November, 1949.

In November, 1949 Holland Hughes became pastor and served until August, 1956. He was followed in September, 1956 by R. M. Walton who was pastor until August, 1957.

Bruce Lanier was called in November, 1957 and served until Marhc, 1960. Boyd Williamson was called in April, 1960.

In the past few years the church has been modernized. The church has been bricked, two (2) new restrooms added, air and central heat, a new vestibule and a new fellowship building has been completed. Members donated new pews in memory of the deceased, bought new pulpit furniture and the floors have been carpeted.

Wilbur Milligan is serving as pastor at the present time.

A new fellowship building has been completed.

HISTORICAL TABLE OF ASSOCIATIONAL CONFERENCES

Year	Place	Moderator	Clerk	Sermon
1805	Saddle Tree	Abraham Baker	Samuel Buxton	
1806	Bear Marsh	Abraham Baker	Samuel Buxton	Job Goodman
1807	Seven Miles	Francis Oliver	Samuel Buxton	Job Thigpen
1808	Moore's Creek	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	Job Thigpen
1809	Chapel Run	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	Ezekiel Bryant
1810	Cape Fear	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	
1811	Nahungo	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	Job Goodman
1812	Ashpole	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	J. A. Ronaldson
1813	Thunder Swamp	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	William Wells
1814	Muddy Creek	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	Job Goodman
1815	Beulah	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	
1816	Bultail	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	Jacob Williams
1817	Ashpole	Job Goodman	Samuel Buxton	Isaac Etheridge
1818	Limestone	Job Goodman	Allen Morris	David Thames
1819	Thunder Swamp	Job Goodman	Allen Morris	Job Goodman
1820	Nahungo	Job Goodman	Allen Morris	John Gornto
1821	Riley's Creek	Job Goodman	Allen Morris	Job Goodman
1822	Southwest	Job Goodman	Allen Morris	S. Reaves
1823	Bultail	George Fennel	A. Morris	A. Morris
1824	Cedar Creek	George Fennel	A. Morris	
1825	Bear Marsh	George Fennel	A. Morris	Jesse Rogers
1826	Saddle Tree	Job Goodman	A. Morris	A. Morris
1827	Ashpole	Job Goodman	Jas. McDaniel	
1828	Porter Swamp	Job Goodman	Jas. McDaniel	
1829	Saw Mill	Job Goodman	Jas. McDaniel	
1830	Saddle Tree	Job Goodman	Jas. McDaniel	
1831	Ashpole	Job Goodman	L. R. Simmons	
1832	Cross Roads	Solomon Reaves	L. R. Simmons	
1833	Bear Swamp	Chas. McAlister	Jas. McDaniel	
1834	Cape Fear	Chas. McAlister	Jas. McDaniel	
1835	Ebenezer	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	Robt. McNabb
1836	Fair Bluff	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	William Ayers
1837	Ashpole	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	Adel King
1838	Bear Swamp	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	David Thames
1839	Pleasant Grove	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	Elias Davis
1840	Cross Roads	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	J. F. McCall
1841	Seven Creeks	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	H. Lennon
1842	Beaver Dam	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	William Ayers
1843	Macedonia	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	J. C. Averitte
1844	Ashpole	Samuel Mims	Haynes Lennon	Furney Prevatt
1845	Bear Swamp		Haynes Lennon	Adel King
1846	Porter Swamp	John Smith	Haynes Lennon	F. Prevatt
1847	Cape Fear	John Smith	Haynes Lennon	W. Ayers
1848	Western Prong	John Smith	Haynes Lennon	Elias Davis
1849	Big Branch	John Smith	R. McDaniel	Z. Bullock
1850	Bear Swamp	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	William Ayers
1851	Cedar Creek	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	Elias Davis
1852	Back Swamp	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	F. Prevatt
1853	White Marsh	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	G. W. Hill

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1854	Spg. Branch (S.C.)	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	J. H. Cobb
1855	Big Branch	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	H. Lennon
1856	Cape Fear	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	F. Prevatt
1857	Cross Roads	Haynes Lennon	Ben Freeman	H. Lennon
1858	Ashpole	Haynes Lennon	Ben Freeman	D. B. Ayers
1859	Western Prong	Haynes Lennon	Ben Freeman	G. W. Hill
1860	Porter Swamp	Haynes Lennon	Ben Freeman	
1861	Antioch	Haynes Lennon	Ben Freeman	
1862	Pleasant Grove	Haynes Lennon	G. W. Hill	
1863	Cross Roads	Haynes Lennon	G. W. Hill	D. N. Gore
1864	Back Swamp	Furney Prevatt	G. W. Hill	R. W. Norton
1865	Bear Swamp (S.C.)	D. B. Ayers	G. W. Hill	R. W. Norton
1866	Ashpole	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	G. W. Hill
1867	Pleasant Hill	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	A. R. Pittman
1868	Mount Zion	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	E. D. Johnson
1869	Lumberton	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	D. N. Gore
1870	Pleasant Hill	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	H. Lennon
1871	Porter Swamp	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	J. W. Dickson
1872	Western Prong	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	A. R. Pittman
1873	Big Branch	H. Lennon	D. K. Bennett	D. K. Bennett
1874	Back Swamp	H. Lennon	D. K. Bennett	J. W. Dickson
1875	Bear Swamp (S. C.)	H. Lennon	D. K. Bennett	A. R. Pittman
1876	Cross Roads	H. Lennon	D. K. Bennett	D. J. Ray
1877	Mount Eilam	H. Lennon	D. K. Bennett	J. B. Richardson
1878	White Marsh	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	J. W. Dickson
1879	Ashpole	J. W. Dickson	G. W. Hill	T. F. Pritchard
1880	Western Prong	Haynes Lennon	G. W. Hill	J. F. McMillan
1881	Piney Grove (S. C.)	Haynes Lennon	G. W. Hill	J. W. Dickson
1882	Hickory Grove	Haynes Lennon	G. W. Hill	G. McManaway
1883	Mount Zion	E. W. Wooten	J. F. McMillan	
1884	Piney Forest	J. W. Dickson	C. D. Frink	D. J. Ray
1885	Bogue Chapel	J. W. Dickson	G. W. Hill	J. F. McMillan
1886	Abottsburg	E. W. Wooten	G. W. Hill	A. D. Cohen
1887	Mount Pisgah	E. W. Wooten	G. W. Hill	E. W. Wooten
1888	Porter Swamp	E. W. Wooten	S. J. Porter	G. W. Hill
1889	Grittin's Cr. Roads	E. W. Wooten	A. H. Porter	E. D. Johnson
1890	White Marsh	E. W. Wooten	A. H. Porter	F. F. Wooten
1891	Mount Pisgah	E. W. Wooten	A. H. Porter	A. H. Porter
1892	Shady Grove	E. W. Wooten	A. H. Porter	A. H. Porter
1893	Lebanon	E. W. Wooten	A. H. Porter	A. H. Porter
1894	Western Prong	G. W. Hill	D. H. Cook	G. W. Hill
1895	Shallotte	A. C. Meares	Isaac Jenrette	E. W. Wooten
1896	Mount Sinai	A. C. Meares	Isaac Jenrette	W. S. Ballard
1897	Pleasant Plains	A. C. Meares	Isaac Jenrette	J. A. Mintz
1898	Mount Zion	E. W. Wooten	H. Wyche	J. J. Adams
1899	Bogue Chapel	J. L. Memory	H. Wyche	J. G. Blalock
1900	Spring Branch	J. L. Memory	C. F. Ramsbottom	A. H. Porter
1901	Smyrna	J. L. Memory	A. H. Porter	J. J. Payseur

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1902	Pleasant Plains	W. S. Ballard	A. H. Porter	J. G. Blalock
1903	Mount Zion	W. S. Ballard	A. M. Kelly	F. T. Wooten
1904	Cross Roads	W. S. Ballard	A. M. Kelly	F. T. Wooten
1905	Chadbourn	W. S. Ballard	J. H. Williamson	J. G. Blalock
1906	Livingston Chapel	W. S. Ballard	J. H. Williamson	A. H. Porter
1907	Sweet Home	W. S. Ballard	J. H. Williamson	W. S. Ballard
1908	Bogue Chapel	J. R. Williamson	F. L. Jernigan	F. T. Wooten
1909	Western Prong	J. R. Williamson	A. M. Kelly	S. B. Wilson
1910	Mount Tabor	J. R. Williamson	A. M. Kelly	A. H. Porter
1911	China Grove	W. C. Graham	J. J. Hendren	C. C. Smith
1912	Clarkton	J. R. Williamson	J. J. Hendren	J. M. Page
1913	New Hope	J. R. Williamson	A. M. Kelly	J. H. Poteet
1914	Cheerful Hope	J. R. Williamson	A. M. Kelly	F. T. Wooten
1915	Cerro Gordo	J. R. Williamson	J. J. Hendren	D. P. Bridges
1916	Fair Bluff	J. R. Williamson	J. J. Hendren	C. J. Thompson
1917	Bogue Chapel	R. D. Covington	J. J. Hendren	W. P. Campbell
1918	Whiteville	R. D. Covington	J. J. Hendren	None
1919	Livingston Chapel	R. D. Covington	J. J. Hendren	I. T. Newton
1920	Porter Swamp	A. C. Chaffin	J. J. Hendren	A. C. Chaffin
1921	Macedonia	A. C. Chaffin	J. J. Hendren	W. Y. Quisenbery
1922	Mount Tabor	F. T. Wooten	W. A. Coleman	Hoyle Love
1923	Mount Zion	F. T. Wooten	I. T. Newton	W. B. Avery
1924	Bolton	F. T. Wooten	I. T. Newton	G. Van Stephens
1925	Cherry Grove	F. T. Wooten	J. J. Hendren	R. H. Satterfield
1926	Corinth	F. T. Wooten	J. J. Hendren	J. L. Martin
1927	Whiteville	F. T. Wooten	J. J. Hendren	F. T. Wooten
1928	Sweet Home	F. T. Wooten	Neil Thompson	B. P. Roach
1929	Hinson's Cross Roads	F. T. Wooten	Neil Thompson	C. E. Maddrey
1930	New Hope	I. T. Newton	Neil Thompson	C. M. Pegram
1931	Fair Bluff	I. T. Newton	Neil Thompson	S. N. Lamb
1932	Western Prong	I. T. Newton	Neil Thompson	W. A. Coleman
1933	Hallsboro	I. T. Newton	Neil Thompson	C. V. Brooks
1934	Livingston Chapel	I. T. Newton	C. R. Hinton	R. J. Rasberry
1935	Cherry Grove	I. T. Newton	C. R. Hinton	C. R. Hinton
1936	Cerro Gordo	I. T. Newton	C. R. Hinton	T. S. Lawrence
1937	Mount Tabor	S. N. Lamb	R. B. Mallard	E. N. Johnson
1938	Pleasant Plains	S. N. Lamb	R. B. Mallard	D. G. Myers
1939	Whiteville	S. N. Lamb	R. B. Mallard	I. T. Newton
1940	Hallsboro	S. N. Lamb	R. B. Mallard	E. N. Johnson
1941	Chadbourn	C. N. Lamb	R. B. Rasberry	Winfrey Davis
1942	Evergreen	Winfrey Davis	R. B. Rasberry	G. Carl Lewis
1943	Clarendon	Winfrey Davis	R. B. Rasberry	G. M. Singletary
1944	Lennon's Cross Roads	Winfrey Davis	R. B. Rasberry	J. Byron Dosher
1945	Livingston Chapel	Winfrey Davis	R. B. Rasberry	E. Evans Unrich
1946	Hinson's Cross Roads	Winfrey Davis	R. B. Rasberry	A. C. Prevatte
1947	Hallsboro	Winfrey Davis	E. Evans Unrich	B. G. Bass
1948	Evergreen	W. K. Beasley	P. C. Grantt	P. C. Melton

HISTORICAL TABLE OF ASSOCIATIONAL CONFERENCES

Year	Place	Moderator	Clerk	Sermon
1949	Oak Dale, Smyrna	S. W. Jolly	P. C. Grantt	R. C. Foster
1950	Porter Swamp, Cherry Grove	S. W. Jolly	P. C. Grantt	A. P. Stephens
1951	Mt. Tabor, New Hope, Fair Bluff	S. W. Jolly	P. C. Grantt	E. W. Glass
1952	Western Prong, Whiteville, New Hope	P. C. Grantt R. C. Foster	Staley Howard	
1953	Smyrna, Chadbourn, Pleasant Plains,	Donald Keyser	B. G. Bass	C. E. Brisson
1954	Oak Dale, White Marsh, Chadbourn	Donald Keyser	P. C. Grantt	I. V. Jones
1955	New Hope, Sweet Home, Iron Hill	P. C. Grantt	Ronald E. Rice	S. W. Jolly
1956	Tabor City, Whiteville, Hallsboro	P. C. Grantt	Ronald E. Rice	Paul O. Batson, Jr.
1957	Western Prong, Piney Forest, Chadbourn	Bill Hooks	Clyde Watson	Ray Harris
1958	Whiteville, Cerro Gordo, Chadbourn	Wyatt Coley	Clyde Watson	S. M. Dorton
1959	Fair Bluff, Cherry Grove, Cerro Gordo	Wyatt Coley	Clyde Watson	Oscar Holland
1960	Evergreen, Waccamaw	S. W. Jolly	Clyde Watson	Eugene Walter
1961	Porter Swamp, Trinity	Billy Hooks	Claude Huggins	D. M. Spell
1952	Tabor City, West Whiteville	Billy Hooks	Claude Huggins	James H. Johnson
1963	New Hope, Riegelwood	J. B. Jones	Arch Cree	Leon Thomas
1964	Hallsboro, Western Prong	J. B. Jones	Arch Cree	E. W. Glass
1965	Chadbourn, White Marsh	Maurice Gilliam	Arch Cree	Francis Chesson
1966	Lennon's Cross Roads	Maurice Gilliam	Arch Cree	Wayne Tyner
1967	Brunswick, Hinson's Cross Roads	Ben Nesmith, III	J. William Ross	Charles Bullock
1968	Waccamaw, West Whiteville	Ben Nesmith, III	J. William Ross	Grady Cline
1969	Trinity, Fair Bluff	Grady Cline	J. William Ross	William J. Furr

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Year	Place	Moderator	Clerk	Sermon
1970	Cherry Grove,	H. B. Whitley	H. E. Langford	D. T. Griffin
	Smryna			
1971	Cedar Grove,			Russell Cherry
	Williamson's Cross Roads	H. B. Whitley	Mrs. J. C. Todd	Thomas H. Lambert
1972	Cerro Gordo	C. H. Pinner	Mrs. Cecil Gurkin	David J. Solomon
1973	Sweet Home,			
	Forest Lawn	C. H. Pinner	Mrs. Madge Langford	S. C. Davis
1974	Chadbourn,			
	Western Prong	Frank Neville	Mrs. Madge Langford	Hughet Godwin
1975	Tabor City,			
	Evergreen	Frank Neville	R. F. Mickey	Gwen McCormick
1976	Porter Swamp,			
	Riegelwood	Tom Ray	R. F. Mickey	Claire Baker
1977	Whiteville, First			
	Oak Dale	Tom Ray	Mrs. Wanda Horton	Ray Justice
1978	Bolton,			
	Macedonia	Henry Foster	Ms. Wanda Horton	Roy Parker
1979	Hallsboro,			
	White Marsh	Henry Foster	Ms. Wanda Horton	Thad Prevatte
1980	Lennon's Cross Roads			
	Hinson's Cross Roads	Ed Worley	Ms. Wanda Horton	R. E. Carter
1981	New Hope,			
	Antioch	Ed Worley	Ms. Wanda Horton	Sidney Britt
1982	Calvary,			
	Fair Bluff	J. Wade Fowler	Ms. Wanda Horton	Brancie Stephens
1983	Mount Zion	J. Wade Fowler	Ms. Wanda Horton	
	Williamson's X Rds.	J. Wade Fowler	Ms. Wanda Horton	Larry Knowles

COLUMBUS BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Annual Spring Meeting
Mount Zion Baptist Church
Tuesday, April 19, 1983
3:00 P. M.
Rev. J. Wade Fowler, Moderator

Rev. Herman Goodin, Music Director

2:40	Registration	
3:00	Hymn No. 417	"Lead On, O King Eternal"
3:05	Welcome	Rev. Sidney Britt
3:10	Devotion	Rev. Paul Hill
3:20	Recognition of new pastors	
3:25	Special Music	
3:30	Message	Dr. Grady Cothen
4:15	Hymn No. 58	"He Leadeth Me! O Blessed Thou't!"
4:20	Nominating Committee Report	
4:25	West Virginia	Rev. Dennis Bazemore
4:40	Hymn No. 369	"Purer in Heart, O God"
4:45	Special Music	
4:55	Message	Dr. Grady Cothen
6:00	Prayer of Thanksgiving	
6:45	Pre-Session Concert	Boys Home Choir
7:15	Hymn No. 351	""Are Ye Able", Said the Master"
7:20	Devotion	Rev. Dale Webb
7:30	Recognitions and Resolutions	Dr. Merlin Boone
7:55	Hymn No. 41	"To God Be the Glory"
8:00	Message	Dr. Grady Cothen

PROCEEDINGS

1. The Columbus Baptist Association met on Tuesday, April 19, 1983 at 3:00 P. M. with Mount Zion Baptist Church. Rev. J. Wade Fowler, Moderator, presided.

2. The meeting was opened with the hymn, "Lead On, O King Eternal", led by Rev. Herman Goodin.

3. The welcome was extended by Rev. Sidney Britt, pastor of the host church.

4. The devotion was given by Rev. Paul Hill on "The Fruit of the Spirit". He used Galatians 5:22-23 as his text and led in prayer.

5. Dr. Merlin Boone presented the program and made a motion for its acceptance with one change. This was seconded and carried.

6. Dr. Boone also introduced the guest speaker at this time. He is Dr. Grady Cothen, President of the Sunday School Board in Nashville, Tennessee.

7. Rev. Herman Goodin rendered special music entitled, "No One Ever Cared For Me Like Jesus". He was accompanied by Ms. Jeannie Hammond at the piano.

8. Dr. Cothen brought a most informative message. Some of this information included:

   A. The Sunday School Board was organized in 1851.
   B. J. M. Frost was the first Executive Secretary.
   C. $5,000 was borrowed to begin this work.
   D. $1,300 was given back the first year to the State Conventions.
   E. There are 1,600 full-time employees and 500-600 part-time employees.
   F. There are 65 book stores.
   G. There are two (2) conference centers - Glorietta and Ridgecrest.
   H. Receives no money from the Cooperative Program.
   I. The current budget is $139 million.
   J. Mails an average of 10,000 pieces of first class mail each day.
   K. Fifteen (15) other kinds of work besides Sunday School.
   L. Material printed for one hundred (100) foreign countries and fifty (50) states.
   M. It takes five (5) years to produce a hymnal.
   N. There are between 140 and 145 magazines published.

9. The congregation sang, "He Leadeth Me".

10. The Nominating Committee Report was adopted as printed.

11. After several announcements were made, the congregation sang, "Purer In Heart".

12. Dr. Cothen spoke a second time telling us how the writers of the Sunday School Board are selected and the general work of the Board. There was a question and answer period. Dr. Lloyd Elder is to become President on February 1, 1984.

13. Rev. Goodin led the congregation in special music.

14. Rev. Dennis Bazemore was recognized as a new pastor.

15. Rev. Bazemore brought information about the work this summer in Mineral Wells, West Virginia.

16. The prayer of Thanksgiving was offered by Rev. Sidney Britt.

17. The Evening Session was opened with a concert by the Boys Home Choir.

18. The congregation joined in singing, ""Are Ye Able", Said the Master".

19. Dr. Boone gave a devotion by using Responsive Reading, "Be Ye Reconciled" and led by prayer.

20. The following people were recognized for faithful Christian service over the years: Mrs. Anna Belle Lane, Mrs. Elaine Blake, Mrs. Robbie Bigford, Dr. George N. Knight, Ms. Wanda Horton and Dr. Merlin Boone.

21. Bernard Lennon brought a resolution concerning the Boys Home Choir and a letter was to be sent them. This was seconded and carried.

22. Bernard Lennon brought a recommendation from the Executive Committee that the present office building and lot be sold for $16,000. This was seconded by Larry Knowles and carried.

23. The hymn, "To God Be the Glory", was offered by the congregation.

24. Dr. Cothen brought at inspiring message on reconciliation.

25. The benediction was offered by Dr. George Knight.

Respectfully submitted,

Wanda Horton, Clerk

SPECIAL CALLED ASSOCIATIONAL MEETING

1. A Called Associational Meeting was held Monday, June 27, 1983, 7:30 P. M. at Trinity Baptist Church. Rev. J. Wade Fowler, Moderator, presided.

2. A special building committee was recognized. They were Beasley Strickland, Chairman; Allen Price, Robert Shaw, Bernard Lennon, Rev. Larry Knowles, Rev. Wade Fowler and Rev. John Stephenson.

3. Mr. Strickland made a motion that the Association purchase the Sam T. Gore home on Smyrna Road for $100,000. This was seconded by Mr. Knowles.

4. After each member of the committee gave a specific area of presentation and much discussion, Dr. Ray Yarborough called for a vote by secret ballot and a ten (10) minute recess for churches to confer..

5. When the votes were cast, the motion was defeated: 50 for and 63 against.

6. The meeting was adjourned with prayer by Rev. Phil Moore.

Respectfully submitted,

Wanda Horton
Clerk

ANNUAL FALL ASSOCIATIONAL MEETING

Tuesday, October 18, 1983
Williamson's Cross Roads Baptist Church

Rev. J. Wade Fowler, Modertor
Rev. Herman Goodin, Music Director

2:45	Registration	
3:00	Hymn	"Saviour, Like A Shepherd Lead Us"
3:10	Welcome	Rev. J. P. Williams
	Recognition of new pastors	
3:15	Special Music	
3:20	Message	Dr. George Reed
3:50	Hymn	"I Stand Amazed in the Presence"
3:55	Missions Committee Report	
4:10	Executive Committee Report	Bernard Lennon
4:25	Memorials	Mrs. Bertie Lanehart
4:30	Reports and Miscellaneous Business	
5:05	Constitution Committee Report (First Reading)	
5:10	Hymn	"O Worship the King"
5:15	Special Music	Delco Choir
5:25	Message	Dr. George Reed
6:10	Prayer of Thanksgiving	Dr. B. T. Tucker
7:00	Hymn	"I Am Thine, O Lord"
7:05	Devotion	Dr. Roger Gilbert
7:15	Recognitions	Rev. John Stephenson
7:45	Budget Committee Report	Rev. John Stephenson
	Committee on Committees Report	Dr. Ray Yarborough

Resolutions Committee Report

7:50 Constitution Committee Report
(Second Reading)

8:00 Special Music

8:10 Annual Sermon — Rev. Larry Knowles

PROCEEDINGS

1. The One Hundred Seventy-Ninth Annual Fall Associational Meeting was held Tuesday, October 18, 1983, at Williamson's Cross Roads Baptist Church at 3:00 P. M. with the Moderator, Rev. J. Wade Fowler, presiding.

2. Dr. Merlin Boone, Chairman of the Program Committee, made a motion for the adoption of the printed program with corrections. This was seconded and carried.

3. The congregation was led in singing the hymn, "Saviour, Like A Shepherd Lead Us", by Rev. Herman Goodin, Associational Music Director.

4. A warm welcome to the host church was rendered by the pastor, Rev. J. P. Williams.

5. Dr. Roger Gilbert of the Whiteville First Baptist Church and Dr. B. T. of the Bolton Baptist Church were recognized as new pastors.

6. Dr. Boone introduced the guest speaker. He is Dr. George Reed, Director of Christian Citizenship Education of the Baptist State Convention.

7. Rev. Goodin sang a beautiful selection, "One Day Too Late", for the special music.

8. Dr. Reed brought a message centered on the Christian Life Council. The staff is composed of five (5) persons. He gave us five (5) things we can do for World Hunger. They are: 1. Pray. 2. Read and Study the Bible. 3. Give financially and of our time. 4. Use our citizenship. 5. Evaluate our life styles.

9. Mr. Goodin led the congregation in singing, "I Stand Amazed in the Presence".

10. Mr. Willis Horton brought information about the prison ministry, lake ministry, the booth at the county fair and hopefully a booth at the Merchant/Farmers Expo coming up shortly. Rev. Dennis Bazemore gave information concerning the World Missions Conference in 1986. This constituted the Missions Committee report.

11. The Executive Committee report was given by Mr. Bernard Lennon. He made a motion for its adoption. It was seconded and carried.

12. Mrs. Bertie Lanehart led the Memorial Service using John 11:23-26 as her text after which the congregation stood a moment in silent prayer.

13. Mr. Beasley Strickland, Chairman of the Special Building Committee, brought a motion the Association reconsider the Sam T. Gore home for an Associational Office. This was seconded and carried.

14. The Sunday School report was given by Rev. Richard Poynor.

15. Mr. Jack Stricland gave the Brotherhood report.

16. Mrs. Faye Pierce rendered a brief W.M.U. report.

17. The Music Committee report was given by Mr. Goodin.

18. Rev. Jim Baldwin gave the Evangelism report.

19. Dr. Boone reported for the General Board of the State Convention the resignation of the Executive Secretary, Dr. Cecil Ray, and the appointment of Dr. Roy Smith as the interim Secretary.

20. Rev. Maurice Gilliam gave the Seminary Extension report.

21. Mrs. Anne Belle Lane brought the Library report.

22. Rev. John Stephenson made a motion we hear the Financial Report later. This was seconded and carried.

23. Dr. Boone spoke to the Fort Caswell situation and informed us the assembly is not for sale.

24. Rev. Sidney Britt brought the first reading of the recommended constitutional changes.

25. The congregation was led by Mr. Goodin in singing, "O Worship the King".

26. The Delco Baptist Church Choir brought beautiful music including, "Wonderful Grace of Jesus", and "Just Over in the Gloryland". as specials.

27. Dr. Reed brought a second message on issues. He gave us three (3) things we should be made aware of for more effective government. They are: 1. Register. 2. Educate. 3. Lobby.

28. The Prayer of Thanksgiving was offered by Dr. B. T. Tucker.

29. The Evening Session was opened with the hymn, "I Am Thine, O Lord".

30. The devotion was given by Dr. Roger Gilbert by using Matthew 28 and prayer.

31. Mrs. Brenda Jolly, Treasurer, brought the Financial Report and a motion for its adoption. This was seconded and carried.

32. Rev. John Stephenson, Rev. Maurice Gilliam and Dr. Ray Lundy recognized specific churches for increases in certain areas of church growth in Phase I of Bold Mission Thrust. Union Valley was recognized in all four (4) catagories. Cheerful Hope was recognized in three (3) of them.

33. Rev. Walter Jones recognized Rev. Hughet Godwin for his service as chairman of Evangelism and Rev. J. Wade Fowler for his tenure as Moderator. He recognized Sweet Home Baptist Church for implementing Growing an Evangelistic Church.

34. Rev. Poynor recognized his Sunday School ASSIST Team. They are Rev. Brantley Stevens, who has moved from us to another field of work, Rev. Lorrine Jones, Mr. Tom Carringer, Rev. Travis Newton, Dr. Ray Yarborough, Mrs. Betty Greene and Mr. Charles Simmons.

35. Rev. Stephenson brought the Proposed Budget and a motion for its adoption. This was seconded and carried.

36. Dr. Ray Yarborough brought the Committee on Committees report and changes and a recommendation for its adoption. This was seconded and carried.

37. Mrs. Nancy Marlowe brought a resolution and recommendation for its adoption. This was seconded and carried.

38. Rev. Elmore Strickland brought the Time, Place and Preacher Committee Report.

39. Rev. Britt rendered the second reading of the recommendation from the Constitution Committee. After his recommendation, a second was given and was carried.

40. Rev. Fowler presented incoming Moderator Mr. Bernard Lennon and Vice-Moderator, Rev. John Stephenson to the people.

41. Special Music was offered by the Delco Choir.

42. Rev. Larry Knowles brought a much needed message to the people and pastors of churches. He told us 1,000 men leave the ministry each year and the average pastorate is 1.9 years.

43. The benediction was rendered by the new Moderator, Mr. Lennon.

Respectfully submitted,

Wanda Horton
Clerk

BROTHERHOOD REPORT

As Brotherhood Director I have decided to put first things first this first year that I was to serve, so our biggest effort has been on R.A.'s. Mr. Craven Sealey, our R.A. Director for the Association, has been busy. Four (4) new chapters have been re-organized. Mr. Sealey has done a fine job this year along with his helpers, Mr. Robert Shaw and Mr. Larry Ezzell.

Craven, Robert and myself attended the Baptist Men's Convention last November in Fayetteville and several workshops and Key Leadership at Ridgecrest.

Mr. Jimmy Spivey has been in charge of the R.A. Sports Program and has had about 300 boys play basketball. Jimmy and myself have been working for the past few weeks to re-organize the sports program and we feel that this next year will be the best year that our association has ever had in the RA Sports Program.

This year was a first for our Field Day Program which was held at Southeastern Community College on September 10. We had a nice number to participate in the games. We hope to enlarge on this for next year.

Mr. Ward Shaw heads up our Baptist Men's Program for the Association. This seems to be our weak link for this year, but we are working on new ideas for this program.

Our Baptist Men's Convention will be held in Greensboro this year on November 12-13. We have several of our men that will be attending as delegates from our Association.

You remember the Brotherhood in your prayers that God will lead the men and boys of our Association in a way that we can be pleasing to Him.

Respectfully submitted,

Jack Strickland

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

1983 - 1984

Credentials:

Daniel Deaton (Tabor City) '84
Ray Justice (Trinity) '85
*Dan Williams (Riegelwood) '86

Missions:

Mrs. Edna Yates (Piney Forest) '84
Dennis Bazemore (Chadbourn) '84
Willis Horton (Western Prong) '84
Mrs. Ruth Whitley (Whiteville First) '85
*D. J. Peterson (Cheerful Hope) '85
R. F. Mickey (Lake Waccamaw) '85
Robert Buffkin (Gapway) '85
*Sammy Inman (Gapway) '85
*B. T. Tucker (Bolton) '86
*Mrs. Carol Newton (Smyrna) '86
*J. G. White (New Hope) '86

Finance:

Mrs. Peggy Stanley (Clarendon) '84
Bill McRae (Lake Waccamaw) '84
Vollie Edwards (Cherry Grove) '84
C. D. Branch (Lennon's Cross Roads) '85
Billy Rushing (White Marsh) '85
Hubert McCleney (Piney Forest) '85
*Maurice Gilliam (Hallsboro) '86
*Mrs. Sue Shaw (Evergreen) '86
*Frank Stanley (Tabor City) '86
*Edgar Hinson (New Hope) '86

Ordination:

Larry Knowles (Riegelwood) '84
Roy Walker (Whiteville First) '84
Robert Allen (Westside) '85
Daniel Deaton (Tabor City) '85
*Larry Gilliam (New Hope) '86

Library:

Mrs. Johnnye Burleson (Trinity) '84
Mrs. Anna Belle Lane (Faith) '85
*Mrs. Sandra Weavil (Western Prong) '86

Evangelism:

Jack Strickland (Hinson's Cross Roads) '84
Hughet Godwin (China Grove, Hinson's Cross Roads) '84
Vernon Williamson (Antioch, Macedonia) '84
Ray Lundy (Fair Bluff) '85
*Jim Baldwin (Pleasant Hill) '86

Time, Place, Preacher:

Robert Duncan (Oak Dale) '84
Jim Baldwin (Pleasant Hill) '85
*Ralph Gore (Brunswick) '86

Resolutions:

S. C. Davis (Calvary) '84
Mrs. Elaine Blake (Chadbourn) '85
*R. E. Carter (Clarendon) '86

Nominating:

Ed Worley (Western Prong) '84
Phil Moore (Lennon's Cross Roads) '85
Harold Hughes (Faith) '85
*Elmore Strickland (Cheerful Hope) '86

Constitution:

Sankey Robinson (Whiteville First) '84
Sidney Britt (Mount Zion) '85
*Tom Ray (Trinity) '86

Seminary Extension:

Maurice Gilliam (Hallsboro) '84
Leo Ward (Chadbourn) '84
*Ray Yarborough (New Hope) '85
Merlin Boone (Cherry Grove) '85
*J. Wade Fowler (Corinth) '86
*Roger Gilbert (Whiteville First) '86

Trustees:

Royce Butler (Nakina) '84
Keith Blake (Chadbourn) '85
*Gene Ezzell (Trinity) '86

Building and Grounds:

Malcolm Mills (Sweet Home) '84
Boyd Thompson (Calvary) '85
*J. L. Dew (Delco) '86

Program:
- Merlin Boone (Cherry Grove) '84
- Mrs. Thetus Hughes (Lake Waccamaw) '85
- Ward Shaw (Piney Forest) '85
- *Mrs. Elaine Blake (Chadbourn) '86

Special Building Committee:
- John Stephenson (Western Prong)
- Larry Knowles (Riegelwood)
- Allen Price (Whiteville First)
- Robert Shaw (Evergreen)
- Beasley Strickland (Cherry Grove)

Memorials:
- *Mrs. Bertie Lanehart (Western Prong) '84

Baptist Colleges:
- *J. C. FormyDuval (Nakina) '84

Baptist Children's Homes:
- *Ms. Ruby Spivey (Chadbourn) '84

Homes for the Aged:
- *Larry Ezzell (Brunswick) '84

Christian Life Council:
- *Travis Newton (Smyrna) '84

Baptist Hospital:
- *Robert Shaw (Evergreen) '84

Deacons' Representative:
- *Ray Yarborough (New Hope) '84

Annuity Board Representative:
- *David Anderson (Faith) '84

Cooperative Program Representative:
- *Maurice Gilliam (Hallsboro) '84

Christian Social Ministries:
- *Paul Hill (Lake Waccamaw) '84

Denominational Literature:
- *Mrs. Shirley Hendrix (Cherry Grove) '84

Youth Representative:
- *Tom Carringer (Trinity) '84

Churchmanship Representative:
- *Daniel Deaton (Tabor City) '84

Pastor/Staff Self Enrichment:
    *Roger Gilbert (Whiteville First) '84

Energy Consultant:
    *Larry Knowles (Riegelwood) '84

Respectfully submitted,

Crowell Hinson
Mrs. Thetus Hughes
Farley Strickland
Neal Lane
Ray Yarborough, Chairman

CONSTITUTION COMMITTEE REPORT

1. Guidelines for Office Assistant is listed in numerical order.

2. Article VI (6), Section 8 change:

   Previous: "The term of office for all members of committees shall be for three (3) years, and they shall serve so that one-third shall rotate off each year."

   Recommendation: "The term of office for all members of committees shall be for three (3) years. One-third of the members shall be elected annually."

3. Article XII (12), Section 1.

   Recommendation: Representative of Pastors' Conference as member of the Associational Council. (This is an addition; no change.)

4. Other changes made, corrections:

   The pronoun HE changed to HE/SHE and all numbers written out followed by number in parenthese.

Respectfully submitted,

Sidney Britt
Sankey Robinson
Tom Ray, Chairman

EVANGELISM COMMITTEE REPORT

The Evangelism Committee exists for the purpose of helping churches be more effective in reaching people for Christ. The committee stands ready to provide the churches of the Columbus Baptist Association with information and assistance in their evangelistic efforts.

Having been involved in an Associational Evangelism Conference and a "Growing An Evangelistic Church" seminar at the end of the 1981-82 year, the Evanglism Committee used this past year to re-organize and plan for the future.

At the Key Leadership Conference information was shared on materials available from the Evangelism Department of the Baptist State Convention. A member of Cherry Grove Baptist Church currently involved in "Continuing Witness Training" (CWT) explained all that is involved in this excellent training event. It was agreed that evangelism must be done in conjunction with already existing organizations such as Sunday School and Church Training in order to achieve maximum results.

For the year 1983-84, the Evangelism Committee will be trying to emphasize evangelism in and through existing structures and organizations. Events that are being planned include:

October 28 - Regional Evangelism Conference to be held at Ballantine's Cafeteria in Wilmington from 10:00 - 12:00. Dinner will be provided for all pastors and church evangelism committee members following a dialogue on resources available through the Evangelism Department of the Baptist State Convention.

January 9 - Bob Stewart from the Sunday School Department of the State Convention, will be leading a training seminar on using Sunday School to grow an evangelistic church. Eight (8) members from each church will be invited to attend this training.

January 19-20 (tenative) - Revival Training Seminar. A member of the State Evangelism Department will provide us with suggestions on how we can make our annual revivals more effective in reaching people for Christ.

February 6-7 - State Evangelism Conference to be held in Greensboro, N. C. Great evangelistic preaching and inspiration for pastors and laypersons to get involved in evangelism.

Respectfully submitted,

Jim Baldwin

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

The Executive Promotion Committee on January 24, 1983 voted to let John Woodard go through the records older than five (5) years, microfilm the important parts and destroy the rest. Dennis Bazemore was elected to the Missions Committee, Larry Knowles as the Energy Consultant and Jack Ansback as the Baptist Foundation representative.

On March 28, 1983 we went on record opposing the selling of Fort Caswell. The Missions Committee recommended that the Association encourage and promote the next World Missions Conference in April, 1986, that each church pay $80. per year to finance the conference. This was approved. The Special Building Committee moved that the Associational property be sold for the appraised price of $16,000. This was approved and later approved at the Annual Spring meeting of the Association. Each department is to prepare in writing what they are doing and what they have to offer. This is to be assembled into a booklet and made available to the churches and that May 15, 1983 be Associational Emphasis Sunday with an offering to be taken. The program of the Executive Promotion Committee is to include a state worker.

The June 27, 1983 meeting was held in conjunction with a special called meeting of the Association for the purpose of acting upon a recommendation from the Special Building Committee to buy the Sam T. Gore property for $100,000. This was defeated. The Pastors' Conference would like to have one of their members added to the Associational Council. This was approved.

At the September 26, 1983 meeting the Brotherhood rules for RA Basketball was adopted. Equipping center modules are to be purchased and approved the purchase of a copier for $4,190, setting the cost of copies at $.10 per copy. The financing of a part time prison chaplain is being shifted from the convention to the Associatonal gradually over a five (5) year period. This was approved. The price of the minutes was set at $2.50 or the minutes, history ($5.00), and self-study ($1.00) all for $6.00. Approved the purchase of the present telephone equipment for $441. saving about $200 per year. It was agreed to support and participate in World Prayer. A motion to drop North Whiteville from the watchcare of the Association was approved.

Respectfully submitted,

Bernard Lennon

FINANCIAL REPORT
OCTOBER 1, 1982 - SEPTMEBER 30, 1983

Receipts:

Balance, October 1, 1982	$ 1,995.59	
Rec'd from Churches	48,346.07	
Rec'd for Office Supplies	1,580.14	
Rec'd for Minutes	555.30	
Rec'd for Brotherhood	20.00	
Rec'd for Pastors' Seminar	98.30	
Rec'd for Raleigh Prison	43.00	
Rec'd for Interest - CD	749.74	
Rec'd for Deacons' Seminar	147.00	
Rec'd Trans. from Savings	1,000.00	
Rec'd Sales Tax Refund	259.95	
Rec'd Insurance Refund	39.00	
Re'cd Youth Retreat	3,081.00	
Rec'd Pastoral Services	4,200.00	
Rec'd Key Leadership	20.00	
Rec'd Special Offering	431.56	
Rec'd Payroll Tax Refund	113.27	
Rec'd for Modules	110.50	
Rec'd for Dale Webb	760.73	
Rec'd for Prison Chaplain	110.00	
Rec'd for WMU	3.25	
Rec'd for Music Workshop	277.50	
Rec'd for Histories	770.00	
Rec'd for Lake Ministry	529.02	
Rec'd for Prison Ministry	181.00	
Rec'd for Seminary Extension	5,529.69	
Rec'd for CEWV	270.00	
Rec'd for West Virginia work	100.00	
Total Receipts		$ 71,321.61

Disbursements:

Salary, Director of Missions	$ 10,999.92
Salary, Office Assistant	8,939.84
Salary, Treasurer	120.00
Salary, Clerk	100.00
Secretary's Insurance	307.25
Convention Expense	1,500.00
Travel	4,587.12
House and Utilities	5,727.12
Hospitalization and Insurance	5,458.28
Secretary's Social Security	1,149.75
Federal Withholding Tax	670.00
North Carolina Withholding Tax	22.28
Travel, Office Assistant	600.00
Sunday School	383.49
Church Training	50.00
Brotherhood	156.71

Financial Report - Continued

WMU	244.75	
Music	10.00	
Evangelism	101.96	
Visiting Speakers	177.45	
Seminary Extension	3,855.29	
Deacons	330.00	
Key Leadership	160.00	
Youth	3,001.45	
Prison Ministry	268.28	
Pastors' Conference	136.21	
West Virginia work	300.00	
Lake Ministry	216.98	
Histories	445.41	
Raleigh Prison	43.00	
CEWV	1,290.00	
Office Supplies	6,089.00	
Postage	1,235.63	
Equipment	108.77	
Repairs to Building and Equipment	364.70	
Insurance	162.00	
Lights and Water	759.35	
Telephone	1,872.26	
Heating Fuel	892.08	
Contingency Fund	339.28	
Transferred to Savings	2,000.00	
Dale Webb	760.73	
County Fair	43.07	
Service Charges	19.12	
Total Disbursements		$ 65,998.53
Balance, September 30, 1983		$ 5,323.08

FINANCIAL STATEMENT
OCTOBER 1, 1982 - SEPTEMBER 30, 1983

Current Assets:			
Cash on Hand (10-1-82 Checking Account)		$ 4,573.34	
Interest Income on C.D. with UCB		749.74	
			$ 5,323.08
Savings (Previous C.D.)		12,000.00	
Lake Ministry		192.17	
CEWV		1,290.00	
Interest Income		699.98	
			14,182.15
Total Current Assets			19,505.23
Fixed Assets			
Office Building (See Note 1)	$ 16,000.00		
Furniture and Equipment	16,515.54		
Lake Ministry Equipment	1,400.00		
Office Supplies	4,649.00		
			38,564.54
Total Assets:			$ 58,069.77
Liabilities:			
CEWV	1,290.00		
Lake Ministry	721.19		
Total Liabilities			2,011.19
Net Worth			56,058.58
Total Liabilities and Net Worth			$ 58,069.77

Note 1

Appraisal of property was made 3-25-83 by Terry Todd of First Investors as recorded in Associational Executive Committee Minutes of 3-28-83.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. Brenda W. Jolly
Treasurer

PROPERTY OF

COLUMBUS BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1 Secretary's Desk and Chair
2 IBM typewriters
1 stuffed chair
1 office desk
5 folding tables
24 metal chairs
1 large screen
1 metal storage cabinet
1 "Tell" Equipment
1 mimeograph machine
3 filing cabinets
1 folder
1 electric stencil maker
1 fireproof vault
4 staple guns (2 un-usable)
2 perculator
1 tape recorder
1 carousel projector
1 tape duplicator
1 video machine
1 camera
1 binder
1 rolling table
2 office chairs
2 tape files
2 metal book cases
1 filmstrip file
1 coat rack
1 Bell and Howell projector
1 speaker
1 overhead projector
2 slide projectors
1 vaccum cleaner
1 paper cutter
2 hole punchers
1 light
1 record player
2 copiers
1 water cooler
1 office table
2 carousel trays
24 box file folders
17 book transfer files
1 color television set
1 hand truck

CONTRIBUTIONS
OCTOBER 1, 1982 - SEPTEMBER 30, 1983

CHURCH	AMOUNT
Antioch	$ 175.00
Boardman	250.00
Bolton	450.00
Brunswick	304.59
Calvary	384.00
Cedar Grove	626.00
Cerro Gordo	1,508.24
Chadbourn	1,166.68
Cheerful Hope	660.00
Cherry Grove	2,800.35
China Grove	300.00
Clarendon	800.00
Corinth	150.00
Delco	1,558.17
Evergreen	1,000.00
Fair Bluff	1,525.00
Faith	125.00
Forest Lawn	300.00
Friendly Chapel	100.00
Gapway	-0-
Hallsboro	1,538.00
Hinson's Cross Roads	225.00
Iron Hill	200.00
Lake Waccamaw	800.00
Lennon's Cross Roads	1,361.62
Macedonia	200.00

Contributions - Continued

CHURCH	AMOUNT
Mount Zion	145.00
Nakina	300.00
New Hope	2,561.26
Oak Dale	200.00
Peace	200.00
Piney Forest	500.00
Pleasant Hill	959.31
Pleasant Plains	200.00
Porter Swamp	787.25
Riegelwood	3,197.00
Smyrna	2,114.04
Sweet Home	204.05
Tabor City	2,600.04
Trinity	5,254.47
Union Chapel	-0-
Union Valley	600.00
Western Prong	1,971.00
Westside	550.00
White Marsh	425.00
Whiteville First	6,390.00
Whiteville West	-0-
Williamson's Cross Roads	650.00
North Whiteville	30.00
Total	$ 48,346.07

PROPOSED BUDGET
1983 - 1984

I. SALARIES

Director of Missions	$ 11,880.00	
Office Assistant	9,655.00	
Treasurer	130.00	
Clerk	108.00	$ 21,773.00

II. ADMINISTRATIVE

Convention Expense	1,620.00	
Retirement	2,700.00	
Social Security	825.00	
Travel	4,587.00	
House and Utilities	5,727.00	
Hospitalization and Insurance	2,376.00	
Secretary's Insurance	422.00	
Secretary's Social Security	540.00	
Travel for Office Assistant	648.00	19,445.00

III. EDUCATIONAL AND PROMOTIONAL

Sunday School	400.00	
Church Training	300.00	
Brotherhood	455.00	
WMU	400.00	
Church Music	250.00	
Evangelism	400.00	
Visiting Speakers	400.00	
Library	200.00	
Seminary Extension	350.00	
Deacons'	400.00	
Key Leadership Conference	360.00	
Youth	200.00	
Missions	850.00	
Prison Chaplain *	600.00	5,565.00

IV. OFFICE OPERATIONS

Office Supplies	4,700.00	
Utilities	4,000.00	
Contracts and Equipment	2,000.00	
Insurance	275.00	
Contingency Fund	800.00	11,775.00
Total		$ 58,558.00

Prison Chaplain*

	Associational Cost	State Convention Cost
1984	$ 600.00	$ 2,400.00
1985	1,200.00	1,800.00
1986	1,800.00	1,200.00
1987	2,400.00	600.00
1988	3,000.00	000.00

Each year totals $3,000.00

MEDIA LIBRARY REPORT

Our training program for this year has been very helpful for both beginner and advance Media Library workers, which has been as follows:

Two workshops, one November 19, 1982 and one February 11, 1983, covered a five (5) hour study of "HOW TO PROCESS MEDIA".

Mr. John Hack, with the Baptist Sunday School Board, Nashville, came April 29 and 30 and taught his book "HOW TO OPERATE A CASSETTE TAPE MINISTRY", which was a five (5) hour study.

On September 23, 1983, "HOW TO CLASSIFY BOOKS", was the subject of study at a two and one half hour workshop.

Sandra Weavil and Evelyn Norton of Western Prong Church, Johnnye Burleson of Trinity, and Anna Belle Lane of Faith Church, attended the Annual Media Library State Convention at Hickory Grove Baptist Church, Charlotte and received credit for a five (5) hour study of the book "A CHURCH MEDIA LIBRARY AT WORK", which was taught by Mr. James Rose, who is with the Sunday School Board, Nashville.

The following persons have qualified for the "Media Services Diploma" and the "Media Skills Diploma", which means they have completed thirty-five (35) hours, or more, study of six (6) or more books:

Linda High	Lake Waccamaw
Johnnye Burleson	Trinity
Lollie Boswell	New Hope
Joanne Thompson	New Hope
Everlyn Norton	Western Prong
Sandra Weavil	Western Prong

Others are working toward this goal.

We were represented at the Key Leadership Conference, Ridgecrest, May 9 - 11, by myself, receiving much valuable information which will be helpful, including a list of "NEW CHURCH MEDIA LIBRARY PRODUCTS" available in 1983, and an update on recent changes. This information was passed on to the group at the Interpretation Clinic, May 31, at First Baptist Church.

During the month of August, we assisted Sweet Home Church in processing about two hundred (200) books for their new Media Library. This was a very enthusiastic group, and I feel sure they will carry this on successfully and it will be a great service to their people.

With only fifteen (15) churches in our association having Media Library Centers, we would like to see more churches providing this service for their people. We will be glad to help any interested church in processing and setting up their first group of books and materials.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. H. R. Lane
Director

MODERATOR'S REPORT

These past two (2) years have been very eventful for Columbus Baptist Association. We were part of the Video Promotion for North Carolina State Missions last year. Several churches in our Association have been actively engaged in mission efforts in West Virginia, Ohio, Pennsylvania and California.

The leadership in the various organizations has been of the highest caliber. Never have I seen greater dedication on the part of these leaders in our Association. This has resulted in better meetings and quality programs made available to our churches.

We have grown closer as a people of God and Eternity alone can determine the magnitude of influence this will have on future efforts to witness and minister.

As my service as Moderator comes to a close, I would like to present a challenge to our great people in Columbus Baptist Association. We need to move on with stewardship emphasis, training opportunities, and BOLD MISSION THRUST. We need to become more aware of our local mission opportunities such as the prison chaplaincy, Seminary Extension Study Opportunities, and group opportunities offered through our Associational structure. We also need to keep before us the desperate need for an Associational Complex to better house our central office and equipment. Let us grow, let us go and witness to the 12,000 plus lost in our area. Let us minister to those who need a touch and a word of love and compassion.

Respectfully submitted,

J. Wade Fowler

MUSIC REPORT

I. There were three (3) members of our Association that was elected to serve along with the Music Director as a Music Council. This has helped to distribute the work in music across our Association.

Those chosen to serve are Mrs. Ramona Lord of New Hope, Mr. Jim Smith of Tabor City and Mr. Tom Carringer of Trinity in Whiteville.

II. We were privileged to have Mr. Charles Storey, the Associate Music Director of the Baptist State Convention, to speak to the Music Leaders at the Associational Key Leadership Conference on May 31, 1983.

III. Mr. Charles Gatwood, Director of Church Music of the Baptist State Convention, was guest speaker at the Executive Committee Meeting in September.

The Music Council has some exciting activities planned for the upcoming year.

Respectfully submitted,

Herman S. Goodin
Associational Music Director

NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

1983 - 1984

Moderator	Bernard Lennon (Lennon's Cross Roads) Route 1, Box 436, Evergreen 648-4636
Vice-Moderator	Rev. John Stephenson (Western Prong) Route 1, Box 97, Whiteville 648-4746
Clerk	Ms. Wanda Horton (New Hope) Route 5, Box 99, Whiteville 642-2155
Treasurer	Mrs. Brenda W. Jolly (Hallsboro) P. O. Box 1095, Whiteville 646-3225
Sunday School Director	Rev. Richard Poynor (Sweet Home) Route 1, Box 131-A, Clarendon 653-3377
Church Training Director	Bobby Stanley (Clarendon) Route 1, Box 2, Clarendon 653-2925
Brotherhood Director	Jack Strickland (Hinson's Cross Roads) Route 1, Box 208, Cerro Gordo 654-4350
Woman's Missionary Union Director	Mrs. Faye Pierce (White Marsh) 409 North Madison Street, Whiteville 642-3379/642-7250
Music Director	Rev. Herman Goodin (Cerro Gordo) P. O. Box 159, Cerro Gordo 654-5507
Church Library	Mrs. Sandra Weavil (Western Prong) Route 2, Box 51, Clarkton 648-2291
Evangelism	Rev. Jim Baldwin (Pleasant Hill) Route 5, Box 60, Whiteville 654-4870
Missions Committee	Rev. Dennis Bazemore (Chadbourn) 311 East Second Avenue, Chadbourn 654-3992
Finance Committee	Rev. Maurice Gilliam (Hallsboro) P. O. Box 86, Hallsboro 646-3283

Respectfully submitted,

Ed Worley
Phil Moore
Harold Hughes
Guy FormyDuval, Chairman

SEMINARY EXTENSION REPORT

The Columbus Baptist Association Seminary Extension center provided ministry training opportunities for pastors and church leaders during 1982-1983 by offering seven (7) or more courses for a total enrollment of 140.

During the past year our staff offered courses in the areas of Theology, Christian Ethics, Applied Christianity, Religious Education, and Biblical Studies. Seminary Extension centers were located at Southeastern Community College, Whiteville, Hinson's Cross Roads Baptist Church, Zion Plains Baptist Church, and the prison camp.

Our center has been in operation since 1978 and continues with classes already in operation. The center will have a new director this year in the person of Rev. J. Wade Fowler, Maurice Gilliam served as director this past year.

Our center is one of approximately 400 centers jointly sponsored by the six (6) seminaries of the Southern Baptist Convention. In addition to studies in local centers with instructors the Seminary Extension Department offers correspondence study through its Independent Study Institute.

Respectfully submitted,

Maurice H. Gilliam

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

"Teaching" series study course books - February 3-4. ASSIST went to Calvary Baptist Church, Whiteville, prepared to teach these books. Three (3) pupils came for the courses offered.

"Understanding" series study course books - May 14 at Trinity Baptist Church and May 15 at Sweet Home Missionary Baptist Church. Thirty-seven (37) people received church study course credit. ASSIST, with the help of three (3) ladies from the WMU, taught this series.

Associational VBS Clinics - April 5 at Porter Swamp and April 7 at Lake Waccamaw. At the two (2) clinics, sixteen (16) churches were represented with a total attendance of fifty-eight (58).

Associational Sunday School Key Leadership Conference - May 31, First Baptist Church, Whiteville, was attended by seventeen (17) people representing nine (9) churches.

During the 1982-1983 year eight (8) state approved Sunday School officers were trained. These men were trained to lead in various areas and departments of Sunday School work. Each is capable of leading a Sunday School Enlargement/Improvement Campaign. Those still in our association are:

Walter Jones
George Knight
Travis Newton
Richard Poynor
Ray Yarborough

The following individuals constitute the 1983-1984 ASSIST team:

Director - Richard Poynor
Adult Leader - Ray Yarborough
Youth - Tom Carringer
Children - Travis Newton
Preschool - Betty Greene
VBS - Lorrine Jones
Homebound - Charles Simmons

Respectfully submitted,

Richard Poynor

TIME, PLACE AND PREACHER COMMITTEE MEETING

Time: April 17, 1983
Spring Annual Inspirational Associational Meeting
Place: Cherry Grove Baptist Church

Time: October 23, 1984
Annual Fall Associational Meeting
Place: Tabor City Baptist Church

Preacher: Rev. Maurice Gilliam

Alternate: Dr. Merlin Boone

Respectfully submitted,

Robert Duncan
Jim Baldwin
Elmore Strickland, Chairman

WMU REPORT

The WMU made some changes this year at the Key Leadership Meeting and their Get-Ready Conferences. From all reports the changes were good ones. The Council also saw the need to have the By-Laws for the WMU revised.

The Acteens and Mission Friends had good meetings on the associational level also. The Girls in Action had an excellent day with ove 200 attending.

During the year two (2) mission books were taught, two (2) mission action workshops were held and a field day at Southeastern Community College with the Brotherhood.

WMU gave three (3) scholarships of $150. each. The recipients were Gene L. Hickman, Jr., Lennon's Cross Roads; Karl V. Lyon, Chadbourn; and Diane Hinson from New Hope.

The Baptist Women and Baptist Young Women had two (2) big events. During Focus Week they held a Prayer Breakfast with over 150 attending. The Prayer Retreat at Caswell was just excellent. This one will be hard to beat. It was "Prime Time" the whole weekend.

The highlight of the year was our Annual Session with Miss Carolyn Weatherford, Executive Director, Southern Baptist Convention, as our guest speaker. Mrs. Lynn Talley, State Starteam Member, closed our session with prayer.

WMU would like to say "thank you" to all of our speakers, soloists, musicians, pastors and WMU directors/members for their help this year and to the following churches for hosting our activities. Whiteville First, New Hope, Union Valley, Lennon's Cross Roads, Cherry Grove, Pleasant Plains, Trinity, Smyrna, White Marsh and Southeastern Community College, as well as Waccamaw Academy.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. Faye Pierce
WMU Director

WMU NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

WMU Director	Mrs. Malcom Pierce (Faye) Route 2, Box 54-C, Whiteville	White Marsh 642-7250/3379
Asst. WMU Director	Mrs. Grover Vaughan (Mildred) P. O. Box 146, Evergreen	Evergreen 654-3371
Mission Action Director	Mrs. Evander Arnette (Rachel) Route 3, Box 260, Chadbourn	Piney Forest 654-3877
Mission Study	Miss Jackie Fleming Route 6, Box 389, Whiteville	White Marsh 642-2653
Literacy	Mrs. Horace Whitley (Ruth) 227 East Calhoun St., Whiteville	Whiteville First 642-2442
Baptist Women Director	Mrs. Ralph Lewis (Marie) Route 2, Box 101, Chadbourn	Smyrna 642-7208
Baptist Women Asst. Dir.	Mrs. Robert Shaw (Sue)	Evergreen
Baptist Young Women Director	Mrs. David Baker (Kathy) Route 1, Box 287-A, Cerro Gordo	Cherry Grove 649-7322
BYW Asst. Director	Miss Melinda Edwards	Porter Swamp
Acteens Director	Mrs. David McKeithan (Linda) Route 5, Box 444-B, Whiteville	Trinity 642-2917
Acteens Asst. Director	Mrs. Norvan Babson (Jean)	Trinity
Girls in Action Director	Mrs. Bernard Lennon (Jackie) Route 1, Box 436, Evergreen	Lennon's X Rds. 648-4636
GA Asst. Director	Mrs. Ed Miller (Mary)	Mount Zion
Mission Friends Director	Mrs. Jerry Greene (Katherine) Route 1, Box 131-A, Cerro Gordo	Cedar Grove 654-4883
Mission Friends Asst. Dir.	Mrs. Rudolph Hinson (Ann)	Cedar Grove
Secretary	Mrs. Philip Strole (Glenda) Route 3, Box 315, Chadbourn	Chadbourn 654-4878
Treasurer	Mrs. Donald Prevatte (Betty Jo) 216 Pine Street, Whiteville	Whiteville First 642-7321
Pianist	Mrs. Ed Lord (Ramona)	New Hope

WMU NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT - Continued

MEMBERS-AT-LARGE:

Group I	Mrs. Leon Ward, Jr. (Nina)	Tabor City 653-3629
Group II	Mrs. Otis Collins (Marie)	Chadbourn 654-3744
Group III	Mrs. Thomas Boswell (Alice)	Pleasant Hill 642-7112
Group IV	Mrs. Currie Wooten (Marjorie)	Western Prong 648-4694
Group V	Mrs. J. L. Woolard (Mary)	Cheerful Hope 655-4227

NOMINATING COMMITTEE:

Group I	Mrs. Archie Marlowe (Nancy)	Sweet Home
Group II	Mrs. Fred Goldston (Linda)	New Hope
Group III	Mrs. Thurman White (Lila Mae)	Antioch
Group IV	Mrs. J. P. Williams (Geraldine)	West Whiteville
Group V	Mrs. Nancy Miller	Delco, First
Nominating Chp.	Mrs. Bernard Lennon (Jackie)	WMU Council Member 648-4636

SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE:

Group I	Mrs. Dan Deaton (Sandra)	Tabor City
Group II	Mrs. Edward McLelland (Mona Faye)	New Hope
Group III	Mrs. Ray Wyche (Melba)	Hallsboro
Group IV	Mrs. Gene Hickman (Virginia) Chp.	Lennon's X Rds. 648-4367
Group V	Mrs. Bradley Weeks (Martha)	Riegelwood

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. Archie Marlowe
Mrs. Thurman White
Mrs. A. I. Williamson
Mrs. Nancy Miller
Mrs. J. P. Williams
Mrs. Donald Prevatte, Chairperson

DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS REPORT

The year 1982 and 1983 has been a terrific year. Physically and emotionally it has been an exhaustic year; however, it has been personally a great year in the Lord.

I've had the privilege of working with several pulpit committees as they sought new pastors. At the same time there has been many frustrations as we have tried to help pastors relocate who needed to change pastorates. To work with a pastor or church in the time of adversity is always difficult. There is a desire to help and still you cannot forget the human limitations we have. In other words we have to be careful and not try to play God.

During these past six (6) years there have been many growing pains for me personally. With the opportunity to be exposed to so many opportunities and avenues of service brings excitement; however, if one is not careful you might well return home and find someone you desperately wanted to share the good news with almost totally unconcerned. In times like that you have to sit down and think and let the Holy Spirit speak to you. It is only then that most often one is made unaware of and secondly, they were absent from the scene where the excitement began.

A Director of Missions, at time, may appear like the third man in a checker game. He has seen both hands and is in a better position to more; however, it's important for him to recognize he is a spectator and not in the game. Humanity has a strange way of causing confusion. Because one is a spectator he does not get the same feeling the players get.

I have tried to show you some of the situations one might find himself confronted with.

Back in March, after consulting with members of the Associational Council, I accepted the interim at Delco with the understanding that the church would give any supply money to the Association. This you will note has been done by First Baptist Church of Delco.

The work there has enabled me to understand the plight of the church and the pastor. As they work together in Columbus County, Delco has afforded me the opportunity to visit, witness and challenge the people of Columbus County to lengthen their ministry cords and reach out to all the people of a community.

Gifts from Delco has made it possible to us to completely pay for a Cannon copier 270. It is to be delivered in a few days and hopefully you will see some of its work in the new minutes.

The pastors have made it possible for me to be in three (3) to four (4) churches per month in addition to being at Delco. Delco's Pulpit Committee and Deacons have made it possible for me to be away when I needed to be in other churches and I want to thank the other pastors and churches for bending their schedule when possible so that I could be with them.

I've has the privilege of being in five (5) churches for the Stewardship Program THE GREAT CHALLENGE. It has pleased me to see how God's children can work individually and still select worthy priorities for their churches.

To my knowledge I have had to turn down no requests for helping in a special service where I was contacted more than a week ahead of time except pulpit supply.

We have some fine ministers and churches in Columbus County.

There really should be no part-time churches among us in our Association. It would be easy to cite growth in some areas the last six (6) months where seeminly no growth has appeared before.

Union Valley, a rural church, has achieved what many might call an impossible task. During the first phase of Bold Missions they doubled their baptism, Church budget, Associational Missions and the Cooperative Program. In addition to this they have built a building, paved a parking lot and developed a full-time program. Examine their budget. It's not very large, so it's important that you discover their secret.

We need to quit trying to find a large church so we can become its pastor and spend our time building a church with a small membership into a large congregation. Now, before we say it's impossible, we need to recognize that there are over 17,000 lost people in Columbus County; 12,000 white and over 5,000 black.

The Association exists to help its churches. In an effort to make it easier for you to get immediate help in any area we have listed your trained leaders.

Let me encourage you to pray for us and we will pray for you and working together we can build a ministry that will please God.

I've avoided trying to report on my involvement in the different departments and committee work and will permit each group to describe their work or 1982-1983.

If there is fault to be found in our pastors and churches it may be that we have not adequately trained our leadership. We have failed in probably the following ways;

1. We haven't instructed them sufficiently in personal witnessing.
2. We do not have current prospect files.
3. We have ignored the potential of our Sunday School as an agency to reach people for Christ. In fact this one organization undergirds every other organization in the church.

A. In our Sunday School Training Class we learn how to witness, pray, seek out lost and most of all study the Bible. If we fail to learn how to worship in Sunday School most likely we will have little knowledge of what we really ought to expect during our worship periods.

B. Our Sunday School teaches missions. The Word of God tells ut ath we are to go into all the world with the Gospel.

I would like to challenge every pastor, Sunday School director and Sunday School worker to get into a training program. If we are serious about soul winning, it's time we begin to organize for the cause of Christ. At no time have we had better trained Sunday School leaders and Chruch Training leaders.

Our ASSIST team members have been alled upon by our State Sunday School Director to lead in Enlargement Campaigns elsewhere; however, to this date only one or two (2) pastors have expressed an interest in an enlargement program in our asosciation. I had the privilege of being involved in this type of program several times and it always helped to make my church more aware of its potential each time we held a campaign.

Respectfully submitted,

Walter S. Jones

ANNUITY BOARD REPORT

"Nineteen hundred eighty-two has proven to be an epochal year for all of us at the Annuity Board. Even in the midst of varying interest rates, unemployment, recession and denominational unrest, the Annuity Board has continued to develop, market, and service the retirement and insurance plans for the associations, churches and agencies of the Southern Baptist Covnention," said Annuity Board President Darold H. Morgan.

Key statistical highlights in 1982 included:

1. A 10 percent 13th Check was mailed to annuitants who retired before 1980. Those annuitants who retired in 1980-82 received their 13th Check bonus in their monthly checks.

2. A total of $30,663,412 was paid in retirement benefits.

3. Total assets administered by the board as of December 31, 1982 $1,057,947,515 compared to $896,535,999 on December 31, 1981.

4. Relief funds from the Cooperative Program totalled $455,009.

5. Membership records indicated that 18,111 persons were enrolled in Plan A, 65,855 in Plan B and 4,256 in Plan C.

6. Earnings on retirement and related funds for 1982 totaled $108,923,263. This compares to $46,068,904 for 1981 or an increase of $62,854,359.

STATISTICAL HIGHLIGHTS 1983

Retirement Plans	Member Accounts and Benefits	Insurance	Members
Plan A (church-agency)	16,383	*Health Insurance	25,796
Fixed Fund (church-agency)	52,952	Group Life (church)	18,279
Balanced Fund (church-agency)	8,365	Group Life (agency)	18,102
Variable Fund (church-agency)	4,256	**Life Benefit Plan	2,047
Benefits Paid (Retirement and Relief)	$ 30,663,412	Seminarian Life	1,705
Relief Recipients	392	Seminarian Medical	4,513

*Includes churches and agencies
**Closed to new members

Respectfully submitted,

David Anderson

BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES REPORT

The Pembroke Family Services Center serves nine Southeastern counties: Robeson, Bladen, Sampson, Cumberland, Harnett, Hoke, Scotland, Richmond, and Columbus. The central office is located on the campus of Odum Home in Pembroke, North Carolina.

The Pembroke Area Family Services Center continues to serve the nine county area with quality care and a full staff of social workers, child care workers, and administrative personnel. The on-campus facilities offer residential group care, emergency care and co-planning to families. All other servies offered by the Baptist Children's Homes may be accessed through this office.

Due to the support of several local churches and groups, a complete wood shop is now available to be used by the children being served in group care and a ceramics shop is nearing completion. These facilities increase the opportunities that can be offered to the children in care.

On July 1, 1983, the Baptist Children's Homes welcomed its new President, Dr. Michael C. Blackwell, a native of Gastonia. Dr. Blackwell becomes the eighth President of the Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina and follows in a noble tradition of excellence established by the seven men who preceded him in this position. In making the announcement of Dr. Blackwell's selection, Dr. William Brown, Chairman of the Board of Trustees, said that "we firmly believe that Dr. Blackwell will continue to lead this vital ministry in an exemplary manner. His unique talents, personality and commitments will assure that this ministry remains at the vanguard of excellence in child care in meeting the challenge of resolving the hurts of children and families in need."

Dr. Blackwell served churches in both North Carolina and Virginia before assuming the Presidency of the Baptist Children's Homes.

Respectfully submitted,

Ruby Spivey

BAPTIST HOMES REPORT

Through North Carolina Baptists, God continues to bless our North Carolina Baptist Homes with meaningful blessings, and we are grateful!

One of the most significant blessings that we have received this year has been a 31% increase in the percentage used for distribution of funds through the Cooperative Program.

The Baptist Homes have been and continue to be a benevolent care ministry throughout the 32 years of caring. Because of the over-extended benevolent care ministry, the Trustees have had to put a hold of admissions of persons who cannot demonstrate the resources to pay the cost of care for their life expectancy. Let's change this picture as rapidly as possible. The only way that it can be changed is through a concerted effort of increased giving through the Cooperative Program and the North Carolina Missions Offering.

The needs of older persons in our nation and state become more and more acute with each passing day. It is imperative that we focus more on the needs and that we provide as wisely as we can for them in the family of our North Carolina Baptist Homes, now and for the future.

We believe that the future of the Homes' ministry is in God's hands. We shall continue to trust Him for our needs, and urge you to join Him and us as we strive to meet the needs of this vital ministry to older persons.

Respectfully submitted,

Larry Ezzell

BAPTIST HOSPITAL REPORT

Baptist Hospital has celebrated its sixtieth anniversary during 1983 by continuing to expand and improve its services.

During the year the hospital has installed new equipment that uses radio waves to produce pictures as good as or better than standard x-rays without posing any radiation hazard.

Baptist Hospital is also providing a new treatment aimed at finding and removing the cause of heart attacks. The procedure attempts to dissolve clots in the coronary arteries feeding blood to the heart by injecting a clot-dissolving drug through a catheter.

Baptist Hospital's Emergency Department was designated as a Level I trauma center which indicates that the department offers all major services for serious injuries twenty-four hours a day, seven days a week.

Baptist Hospital provided the following services during 1983:

23,903 patients for a total of 213,021 patient days
66,039 persons visited the emergency room or clinics
14,000 hours of pastoral services
14,493 hours of pastoral counseling

Baptist Hospital employees 3,500 people and has an operating budget of $101,000,000. Of this amount 8/10 of 1% ($840,684.) was contributed by North Carolina Baptists through the Cooperative Program and North Carolina Mission Offering cmobined.

Baptist Hospital continues to provide outstanding services and deserves our continued support.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert Shaw

"True" or False" --------------- All Blind People Are Blind

How did you respond to that statement? Look around you. How many have 20/20 vision? Check again; is there anyone who cannot use the telephone directory or can no longer read their large print Bible? We are told that 40% of those over 65 years will eventually become legally blind. There is a total of 19,291 blind and legally blind persons registered by our North Carolina Department of Human Resources Division of Services for the blind. This does not include those adults who lose their vision but not their pride, and are never registered. Where are they? They are all within our North Carolina Baptist Associations. The Association with the larger cities have the larger numbers, but we are responsible to God for the one individual or the thousand and one with visual impairment. Are we going to follow the example of those following Jesus on the road to Jericho that scolded blind Bartimaeus and would block his pathway to Jesus, OR the example of Jesus having Bartimaeus brought to him and healed him because of his faith and sent him on his way? Where did Bartimeaus go? He "followed Jesus on the road". Mark 19:46-52.

The Special Ministries Department of our North Carolina Baptist State Convention is as the arms of Christ reaching out to the minority and handicapped people in our midst. The blind and visually impaired are one of those groups. The Ministry with the Blind and Visually Impaired is an outreach program. No special classes or equipment is required, just a caring people, willing to share their time, their friendship and a helping hand when needed.

Dr. Cecil Etheridge, in his Church Manual on Ministry with the Blind and Visually Impaired suggests that to have a successful ministry with the blind, it should be first of all church centered and church promoted as other organizations in the church. This would come under the missions committee. As an outreach program, it would be related to the Sunday School and Visitation. Don't by-pass the homes of the Blind. The Sunday School classes, Brotherhood meetings and W.M.U. groups are small groups and an ideal place to introduce blind or visually impaired to your church.

A workshop or study group in your church or association would be helpful where the manual could be studied or questions could be asked and answered, where "Dos and Dont's" and "How tos" could be discussed and shared. As Consultant for the Ministries with the Blind and Visually Impaired for our North Carolina Baptist State Convention under the Special Ministries Department, I am free to come to any group, large or small and help in any way you would like me to. My expenses are provided by the Department of Special Ministries and my address is as follows:

Mrs. May D. Waugh, or Mrs. J. H. Waugh, 321 W. Ruffin Street, Burlington,
N. C. 27215. Telephone: 1-919-229-0318.

May We Service Christ Together.

May Waugh

CHRISTIAN ACTION LEAGUE REPORT

We are grateful to our Lord for what your association has meant to the cause of social and civic righteousness in our state in the past 12 months. You have assisted the efforts of the League with appropriate action along with your prayer and financial support.

We wish to list just a few of the strategic issues where your voice was so influential.

I. SAFE ROADS ACT OF 1983

Due to the growing problem of the needless slaughter of innocent men, women, and children upon our highways due to drinking drivers, the League called upon Governor James B. Hunt, Jr., to name a Task Force to study this problem and seek constructive recommendations to be presented to the 1983 General Assembly. He complied with this request, and the recommendations of the Task Force were compiled into the Safe Roads Act of 1983. Even though the powerful beer-liquor-restaurant lobby along with other alcoholic retail groups were able to "water-down" some key provisions in this legislative packet, we at least have a measure that can be strengthened in the future to deal with the irresponsible drinking driver.

II. STATE LOTTERY

With the General Assembly seeking additional tax funds, it became apparent that an easy route for the politicians to take would be to put the state into the gambling business via a state-wide lottery.

The League organized the opposition to this issue. When the pro-lottery forces paraded representatives of the lottery industry extolling the "virtues" of such for North Carolina at a legislative public hearing, it was the Christian Action League that presented the adverse effects that a lottery would have upon our state.

It was through your letters, resolutions, and other contracts to your legislators that generated the opposition to the lottery and resulted in its defeat.

However, this is not a dead issue. Pro-lottery forces are seeking state tax funds for a Legislative Lottery Feasibility Study to prepare legislation for the 1984 mini-session of the General Assembly. May we not "grow weary in well-doing" or we will get suck with a lottery as we did with liquor-by-the-drink.

III. REFERENDUMS

In the past 12 months, you made it possible for the League to assist 7 communities successfully in defeating various referendums. These were:

1. Archdale: Liquor-By-The-Drink, ABC Liquor Stores; and Off-Premise Beer and Wine Sales
2. Newton: Liquor-By-The-Drink
3. West Jefferson: ABC Liquor Stores

4. Banner Elk: Liquor-By-The-Drink
5. Lenior County: Liquor-By-The-Drink
6. Kings Mountain: ABC Liquor Stores and Off-Premise Sales of Beer and Wine
7. Elizabethtown: Liquor-By-The-Drink

Other referendums are pending:

CONCLUSION

Thank you again for making it possible to us to remain on the "firing line". May your churches continue to provide the prayer and financial support so that we might be an effective instrument for the cause of social and civic righteousness.

Respectfully submitted,

Tom M. Freeman, President
Coy C. Privette, Executive Director

CHRISTIAN HIGHER EDUCATION REPORT

North Carolina has been a leader among Baptists in Christian Higher Education for 149 years. Moral and financial support from the churches has made possible the ministry of our colleges. The Cooperative Program continues to provide help for the colleges and opportunity for young people.

All of the seven (7) North Carolina Baptist Colleges want to serve more of the students from the churches. Pastors and lay leaders can help by recommending Baptist colleges to Baptist young people.

Information about the colleges may be obtained by writing or calling the Council on Christian Higher Education or the Offices of Admissions of the individual schools.

Respectfully submitted,

J. C. FormyDuval, Jr.

CHRISTIAN LIFE AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS REPORT

There are several "Public Affairs" which concern us as Christians, and as Baptists. Among them are: Alcohol legislation, drunk driving laws, a state operated lottery, prayer in public schools, the "Bob Jones" court ruling, abortion, and pornography.

It is too early to tell just how effective the newly enacted alcohol related laws will be. The state lottery question is "tabled" for right now. The school prayer amendement has just been revised with additional wording, and Supreme Court clarification would still help greatly with this issue.

The address of the Baptist Public Affairs Committee is: 200 Maryland Avenue, N.E., Washington, D. C. 20002.

They can give you specific, up-to-date, and reliable information on just about any issue. Don't chase rumors! Write them and get the facts!

In North Carolina you can contact: Council on Christian Life and Public Affairs, W. Douglas Cole, Executive Director, P. O. Box 26508, Raleigh, N. C. 27611.

Respectfully submitted,

Travis E. Newton

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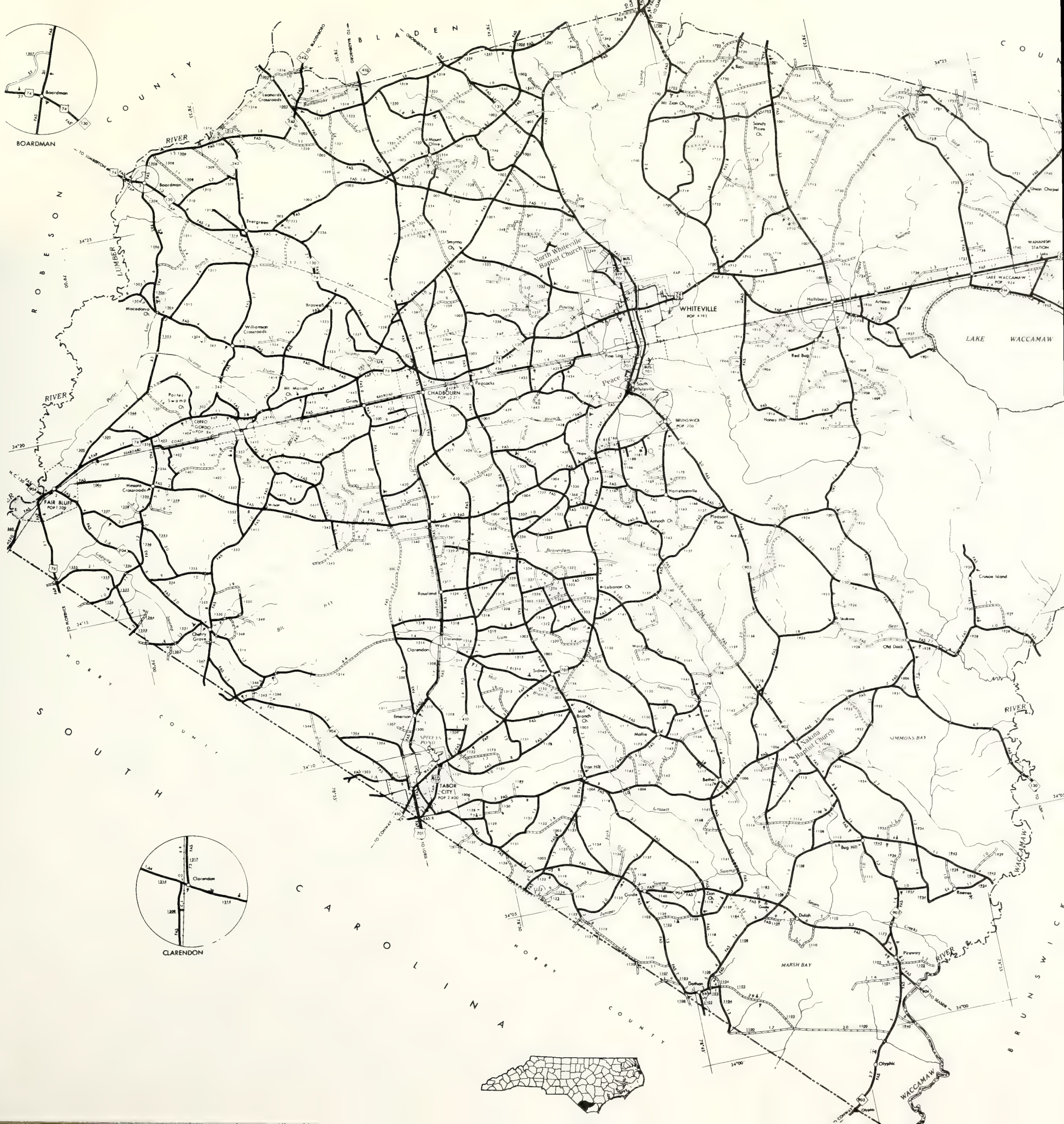
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TABLE A CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1983 (Month & Day)

Association Columbus

State North Carolina

Director of Associational Missions Rev. Walter S. Jones

Address P. O. Box 157 City Whiteville State N. C. Zip 28472

Location codes: 1—Open Country; 2—Village (under 500 pop.); 3—Town (500-2499); 4—Small City (2500-9999); Medium City (10,000-49,999): 5—Downtown, 6—Neighborhood, 7—Suburban; Large City (50,000 or more): 8—Downtown, 9—Neighborhood, 0—Suburban

CHURCHES	PASTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	County	3 Year organized as a church	4 Location	5 Services held twice on Sunday? Y	N	13 Total Baptisms	14 Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)	15 Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)	16 Present resident members	17 Present nonresident members	18 Grand total present members	19 No. members received from non-Baptist Churches	20 No. members lost to non-Baptist Churches	24 Value of pastor's home if owned by the church	25 Value of church property including pastor's home	26 Total church debt at end of this associational year
Antioch	Vernon Williamson, Route 3, Box 201, Chadbourn	Col.	1918	1		X	2	1	2	189	38	225	0	1	0	330,000	35,847
Boardman	David Oldham, Route 3, Box 344, Dillon, S.C. 29536	Col	1904														
Bolton	B. T. Tucker, Box 238, Bolton	Col.	1917	2	X		0	3	3	96	17	113	0	2	0	0	40,000
Brunswick	Ralph Gore, Route 4, Box 173-A, Whiteville	Col.	1952	2	X		7	3	23	116	13	129	0	6	0	200,000	0
Calvary		Col.	1951	1	X		7	16	43	126	23	149	0	0	0	375,000	4,000
Cedar Grove	Robert McNair, Route 1, Box 130, Evergreen	Col.	1869	1		X	2	0	8	258	80	338	0	0	0	800,000	15,500
Cerro Gordo	Herman Goodin, Box 159, Cerro Gordo	Col.	1906	2	X		2	0	3	217	102	319	0	0	75,000	475,000	0
Chadbourn	Dennis Bazemore, 311 East Second Ave., Chadbourn	Col.	1890	1	X		6	9	12	340	139	479	2	1	50,000	1,600,000	0
Cheerful Hope	Elmore Strickland, Route 1, Box 235, Cerro Gordo	Col.	1839	3	X		2	3	4	73	5	78	0	0	5,000	50,000	0
Cherry Grove	Merlin Boone, Route 1, Box 264, Cerro Gordo	Col.	1810	1	X		9	4	5	339	118	457	0	1	60,000	548,000	0
China Grove		Col.	1890	1	X		1	2	3	156	31	187	0	0	0	200,000	0
Clarendon	R. E. Carter, Box 275, Bladenboro	Col.	1906	1		X	6	0	6	112	103	215	0	1	0	330,000	0
Corinth	J. Wade Fowler, 303 Pireway Road, Tabor City	Col.	1880	1	X		10	2	-	92	23	115	0	0	30,000	80,000	0
Delco		Col.	1910	2	X		3	5	4	146	47	193	0	0	75,000	225,000	0
Evergreen	Grover Vaughan, Box 146, Evergreen	Col.	1879	2	X		0	0	2	216	42	258	0	0	51,036	441,036	0
Fair Bluff	Ray Lundy, Box 435, Fair Bluff	Col.	1883	3		X	3	0	11	328	148	476	0	0	70,000	350,000	6,400
Faith	David Anderson, Route 5, Box 61, Whiteville	Col.	1971	1	X		1	0	0	66	10	76	0	0	50,000	150,000	9,646
Forest Lawn	Bervin Ferguson, Box 633, Tabor City	Col.	1955	1		X	2	2	6	158	40	198	0	0	0	205,000	6,224
Friendly Chapel	Elbert Waddell, 1205 Pinkney Street, Whiteville	Col.	1970	7	X		12	0	12	75	0	75	0	0	0	50,000	0
Gapway	Drew Hardee, Route 5, Box 168, Loris, S. C. 29569	Col.	1874	1		X	4	0	1	209	0	209	0	0	0	105,000	0
Hallsboro	Maurice Gilliam, Box 86, Hallsboro	Col.	1876	2		X	4	5	14	274	185	459	2	0	30,000	110,000	0
Hinson's Cross Roads		Col.	1894	1	X		1	0	10	194	61	255	0	0	50,000	300,000	0
Iron Hill	Earl Lanier, Route 1, Box 250-B, Clarendon	Col.	1828	1		X	1	2	5	115	61	176	0	0	0	100,000	0
Lake Waccamaw	Paul Hill, Box 245, Lake Waccamaw	Col.	1871	3	X		19	27	11	218	161	379	2	1	60,000	360,000	0
Lennon's Cross Roads	Phil Moore, Route 1, Box 361, Evergreen	Col.	1797	1		X	2	2	17	202	51	253	1	1	65,000	650,000	0

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(Month & Day)

Association
Columbus

State
North Carolina

Director of Associational Missions
Rev. Walter S. Jones

Address
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City
Whiteville

State
North Carolina

Zip
28472

1 Open Country
2 Village (under 500 pop)
3 Town (500-2499)
4 [illegible] (2500-9999)

5 Downtown
6 Neighborhood
7 Suburban

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CHURCHES	PASTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	County	3 Year organized as a church	4 Location	5 Services held twice on Sunday? Y	 N	13 Total Baptisms	14 Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)	15 Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)	16 Present resident members	17 Present nonresident members	18 Grand total present members	19 No. members received from non-Baptist Churches	20 No. members lost to non-Baptist Churches	24 Value of pastor's home if owned by the church	25 Value of church property including pastor's home	26 Total church debt at end of this associational year
Macedonia	Vernon Williamson, Route 3, Box 201, Chadbourn	Col.	1839	1	X		7	0	5	350	2	352	0	0	0	175,000	0
Mount Zion	Sidney Britt, Route 1, Box 396, Bladenboro	Col.	1837	1	X		1	1	1	143	40	183	1	0	30,000	130,000	0
Nakina	Guy FormyDuval, Route 1, Box 68, Nakina	Col.	1977	1		X	1	0	2	73	0	73	0	0	0	224,198	83,292
New Hope	C. Ray Yarborough, Jr., Route 5, Box 37AB, Whiteville	Col.	1874	1	X		13	7	12	239	223	462	0	0	50,000	425,000	156,571
Oak Dale	Robert Duncan, Box 23, Brunswick	Col.	1883	1		X	7	4	8	119	102	221	2	0	0	100,000	0
Peace	Paul Morrow, Route 3, Box D-62, Whiteville	Col.	1978	1	X		4	1	2	88	0	88	0	0	0	75,000	8,296
Piney Forest	Carl Hoffner, Route 3, Box 249, Chadbourn	Col.	1869	1	X		2	1	11	179	66	245	0	1	25,000	225,000	2,500
Pleasant Hill	Jim Baldwin, Route 5, Box 60, Whiteville	Col.	1848	1	X		2	1	11	179	66	245	0	1	25,000	225,000	2,500
Pleasant Plains		Col.	1839														
Porter Swamp	Bill Evans, Box 98, Cerro Gordo	Col.	1828	1	X		5	2	5	182	82	264	0	2	50,000	300,000	0
Riegelwood	Larry Knowles, Box 292, Riegelwood	Col.	1952	3	X		6	11	14	274	94	368	6	4	57,000	465,000	0
Smyrna	Travis Newton, Route 1, Box 350, Whiteville	Col.	1886	1	X		0	3	6	205	58	263	0	0	50,000	300,000	0
Sweet Home	Richard Poynor, Route 1, Box 131-A, Clarendon	Col.	1850	1	X		8	2	18	181	94	275	0	0	0	530,000	9,000
Tabor City	Daniel Deaton, 10 Nesmith Street, Tabor City	Col.	1838	4	X		9	17	22	553	295	848	0	8	90,000	1,498,000	0
Trinity	Ray Justice, 310 Vine Street, Whiteville	Col.	1953	4	X		14	32	25	797	100	897	1	5	0	700,000	8,379
Union Chapel		Col.	1900	1		X	0	0	4	67	47	114	0	0	0	45,000	0
Union Valley	George Berry, Route 5, Box 424-A, Whiteville	Col.	1886	1		X	2	5	3	97	116	213	1	0	70,000	430,000	4,000
Western Prong	John Stephenson, Route 1, Box 97, Whiteville	Col.	1801	1	X		2	5	18	294	140	434	0	5	73,000	500,500	0
Westside	Tommy Fields, Brown Street, Tabor City	Col.	1970	4	X		7	10	23	128	27	155	0	1	30,000	130,000	0
White Marsh	Leon Lancaster, Route 2, Box 259-A, Whiteville	Col.	1765	1		X	3	5	7	216	56	272	0	1	66,000	200,000	0
Whiteville First	Roger Gilbert, 406 N. Madison Street, Whiteville	Col.	1852	7	X		7	16	31	609	255	864	0	7	90,000	2,600,000	5,000
Whiteville West	J. P. Williams, Route 6, Box 133, Whiteville	Col.	1959	4		X	3	0	6	48	122	170	0	1	0	225,000	0
Williamson's X Rds.	J. P. Williams, Route 6, Box 133, Whiteville	Col.	1897	1		X	0	0	1	161	53	214	0	0	0	150,000	0

TABLE B SUNDAY SCHOOL

YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1983
(Month & Day)

Association
Columbus

State
North Carolina

Associational Sunday School Director
Rev. Richard Poynor

Address: Route 1, Box 131-A
City: Clarendon
State: North Carolina
Zip: 28432

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	54 Cradle Roll enrolment (Birth to 2 years)	55 Preschool enrolment (Birth through 5 years)	56 Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1 6)	57 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	58 Young Adult enrolment—Single (18-29 years or H S graduation through 29 years)	59 Young Adult enrolment—married (18-29 years or H S graduation through 29 years)	60 Adult enrolment (30-59 years)	61 Senior Adult enrolment (60 and over)	62 Adults Away enrolment	63 Homebound enrolment	64 General officers enrolment	65 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	66 Total ongoing Sunday School enrolment	67 Bible Study groups enrolment	68 Total enroled in Bible Study	69 Average weekly Sunday School attendance	70 Number ethnic Sunday School members	71 Church V B S enrolment	72 Mission V B S enrolment	73 Backyard Bible Club enrolment
Antioch	Richard Ward, Route 4, Box 140-A, Whiteville	0	16	13	32	7	10	52	33	0	0	0	0	163	0	163	90	0	66	0	0
Boardman																					
Bolton	Cleveland Baker, Box , Bolton	3	4	4	4	7	13	30	18	0	0	4	0	108	0	0	0	0	58	0	58
Brunswick	Belton Blackmon, Box 38, Brunswick	2	7	9	18	0	12	11	12	0	0	2	0	73	0	73	60	0	58	0	0
Calvary	John Matthews, Route 6, Box 109-D, Whiteville	2	7	16	13	19	12	14	6	0	0	2	0	91	0	91	9	0	45	0	0
Cedar Grove	Mack Greene, Route 1, Cerro Gordo	0	16	18	20	0	22	39	0	0	0	3	0	118	0	0	118	0	97	0	0
Cerro Gordo	C. W. Greene, Jr., Box 93, Cerro Gordo	0	23	20	29	0	20	44	24	0	0	3	0	163	0	163	97	0	83	0	0
Chadbourn	Raybon Jenkins, Box 387, Chadbourn	0	19	33	25	0	18	67	53	0	0	7	0	222	0	222	126	0	232	0	0
Cheerful Hope	J. L. Woolard, Route 1, Box 67-H, Delco	2	7	8	17	5	24	0	25	0	0	6	0	94	0	0	15	0	64	0	0
Cherry Grove	Farley Strickland, Route 2, Box 55-B, Tabor City	0	29	28	15	14	16	52	36	0	0	10	0	200	0	200	166	0	103	0	0
China Grove	Benny Blackmon, Route 2, Chadbourn	0	13	14	16	0	10	47	10	0	0	4	0	114	0	114	79	-	64	0	0
Clarendon	Larry Watson, Route 1, Clarendon	3	8	16	29	0	5	39	27	0	0	12	0	139	0	139	0	0	55	0	0
Corinth	Tommy Bullard, Route 3, Chadbourn	0	6	7	15	5	0	0	0	0	5	3	0	90	0	90	0	0	0	0	0
Delco	Gary Smith, Route 2, Box 110-B, Riegelwood	3	17	19	18	9	18	20	31	0	0	5	0	140	0	140	76	0	88	0	0
Evergreen	James Floyd, Box 164, Evergreen	12	10	23	26	6	16	98	37	3	4	5	0	240	9	249	100	0	72	0	0
Fair Bluff	Winfred Richardson, Fair Bluff	0	31	24	20	12	18	51	63	0	0	6	0	225	0	0	132	0	64	0	0
Faith	James Leary, Route 5, Box 62, Whiteville	0	5	9	7	5	0	14	5	0	0	2	0	47	0	47	33	0	30	0	20
Forest Lawn	Mitchell Wright, Route 1, Box 18, Tabor City	0	12	14	16	9	12	22	17	0	0	4	0	106	0	0	111	0	55	0	0
Friendly Chapel	Mrs. Sandie Ward, Route 5, Box 102, Whiteville	0	6	6	4	3	10	12	0	0	0	5	0	45	0	45	40	0	40	0	40
Gapway	J. D. Lovette, Route 1, Green Sea, S. C. 29545	0	13	18	26	0	0	90	0	0	0	0	0	147	0	147	100	0	72	0	0
Hallsboro	Wayne Tyler, Route 1, Box 185, Hallsboro	5	14	7	12	22	8	20	27	0	16	5	0	136	0	136	76	0	72	0	16
Hinson's Cross Roads	Francis Floyd, Box 263, Fair Bluff	0	11	30	21	12	15	62	21	0	0	3	0	175	0	175	109	0	97	0	0
Iron Hill	H. B. Todd, Route , Clarendon	8	10	10	13	0	32	18	29	0	2	2	0	124	0	124	69	0	58	0	0
Lake Waccamaw	Mrs. Carol Hill, Route 1, Box 176-B, Lake Waccamaw	0	5	25	34	9	23	35	30	0	0	3	32	196	0	0	105	1	78	0	0
Lennon's Cross Roads	I. Z. Hinson, Box 147, Bladenboro	0	21	21	26	14	19	31	26	0	0	9	152	157	0	157	128	0	87	16	0

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State
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Rev. Richard Poynor

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Macedonia	J. B. Williamson, Route 1, Evergreen	0	13	27	32	4	23	92	32	0	0	19	0	242	0	242	151	0	82	0	0
Mount Zion	John Paul Lennon, Jr., Route 2, Box 143-A, W'ville	7	6	9	17	14	13	20	21	0	0	0	0	107	0	0	0	0	43	0	0
Nakina	Royce Butler, Box 95, Nakina	5	10	18	20	0	24	14	10	3	1	3	0	108	0	0	0	0	56	0	0
New Hope	Larry Gilliam, Route 3, Box 46-B, Whiteville	0	13	48	36	0	9	88	54	0	4	6	0	259	0	259	132	0	98	0	0
Oak Dale	Worth Smith, Route 1, Box 261-B, Whiteville	0	5	12	10	4	10	33	16	0	0	2	0	92	0	92	49	0	40	0	0
Peace	Murle Tison, Route 6, Box 52, Whiteville	0	12	14	15	0	0	42	0	0	0	3	0	86	0	0	50	0	72	0	0
Piney Forest	Hubert McCleney, Box 92, Cerro Gordo	3	4	0	6	8	0	23	27	4	0	0	0	75	0	75	37	0	0	0	0
Pleasant Hill	Alan Buffkin, Route 5, Box 23-W, Whiteville	0	20	18	15	3	13	45	32	0	0	3	0	159	0	159	76	0	76	0	0
Pleasant Plains																					
Porter Swamp	Lloyd Shepherd, Box , Fair Bluff	0	15	23	10	9	20	33	22	0	0	4	0	136	0	136	80	0	50	0	0
Riegelwood	Terry Bryant, Box 131, Riegelwood	0	21	35	50	15	10	80	17	0	0	4	0	232	0	232	127	0	90	0	0
Smyrna	D. J. Shelley, Route 1, Whiteville	0	12	15	19	4	12	49	43	0	0	3	0	157	0	157	86	0	58	0	0
Sweet Home	William Hardie, Route 3, Whiteville	0	20	21	28	11	8	49	26	0	0	4	0	164	0	164	113	0	120	0	0
Tabor City	Frank Stanley, Box 427, Tabor City	0	52	58	59	34	25	97	70	0	0	5	0	400	0	0	251	0	129	0	0
Trinity	Mrs. Polly Justice, 310 Vine Street, Whiteville	4	73	102	105	61	33	182	53	0	24	7	19	703	0	703	323	1	203	0	0
Union Chapel	Billy Hobb, Route 1, Box 777-L, Lake Waccamaw	0	7	3	10	0	0	18	6	0	0	15	0	59	0	0	25	0	15	0	0
Union Valley	Kenneth Dyson, Route 5, Whiteville	5	5	6	10	10	20	26	8	0	0	4	0	94	0	0	45	0	60	0	0
Western Prong	R. N. Jordan, Route 2, Clarkton	6	14	24	50	0	24	74	60	0	7	6	0	265	0	0	0	0	60	0	0
Westside	Paul Ferreira, Route 2, Box 418, Tabor City	0	15	18	12	5	14	27	18	22	0	3	0	134	0	134	92	0	60	0	0
White Marsh	Emerson Duncan, Route 2, Box 69, Whiteville	0	11	12	22	0	17	49	26	0	0	2	0	137	0	137	80	0	60	0	0
Whiteville First	Bill Wilson, Route 7, Box C-35, Whiteville	0	52	45	70	20	28	137	118	0	0	11	0	481	0	481	230	0	0	0	0
Whiteville West	Richard Norris, Route 5, Box 358-A, Whiteville	1	5	6	4	7	1	15	6	1	1	3	0	50	0	50	31	0	52	0	0
Williamson's X Rds.	Butch Hooks, Route 3, Chadbourn	0	8	5	6	0	0	28	19	0	0	0	0	66	0	66	66	0	43	0	0

TABLE C CHURCH TRAINING

YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1983 (Month & Day)

Association Columbus

State North Carolina

Associational Church Training Director Bobby Stanley

Address Route 1, Box 2 City Clarendon State North Carolina Zip 28432

		74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86
CHURCHES	CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	Preschool enrolment (5 years and under—not in school)	Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Adult enrolment (18 and over)	Equipping Centers enrolment	N.C.M.T./Survival Kit enrolment	MasterLife enrolment	Other enrolment	Hold File enrolment	General officers enrolment	Enrolment of mission(s) of church	Total Church Training enrolment	Baptist Doctrine Study Y=Yes N=No
Antioch	Mrs. Ellenora Milligan, Route 1, Box 182-A, Whiteville	2	6	7	58	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	73	N
Boardman														
Bolton		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Brunswick	Mrs. Minnie Hill, Box 93, Brunswick	3	2	13	18	0	0	0	8	0	2	0	46	Y
Calvary		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Y
Cedar Grove	Mrs. Mable Greene, Route 1, Cerro Gordo	5	5	2	10	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	37	Y
Cerro Gordo	Mrs. Karen Inman, Route 3, Box 287, Chadbourn	0	9	7	9	0	0	1	0	12	2	0	40	Y
Chadbourn		0	0	0	0	24	3	0	0	0	0	0	27	N
Cheerful Hope		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Cherry Grove		0	10	9	16	0	27	0	115	22	3	0	202	Y
China Grove		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Clarendon	Larry Mercer, Box 218, Tabor City	5	14	15	28	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	67	Y
Corinth		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Delco	Mrs. Susie Smith, Route 2, Box 110-B, Riegelwood	2	1	5	9	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	20	N
Evergreen		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	15	
Fair Bluff		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Faith		0	0	0	0	0	1	5	20	0	0	0	26	N
Forest Lawn		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Friendly Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Capway		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Hallsboro		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Hinson's Cross Roads	Charles Spaw, Route 1, Box 46-A, Fair Bluff	8	8	19	33	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	70	N
Iron Hill		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Lake Waccamaw		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Lennon's Cross Roads	Rev. Phil Moore, Route 1, Box 361, Evergreen	2	18	18	30	0	18	0	11	0	1	0	98	N

TABLE C CHURCH TRAINING

YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1983
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Association Columbus

State North Carolina

Associational Church Training Director Bobby Stanley

Address Route 1, Box 2 City Clarendon State North Carolina Zip 28432

CHURCHES	CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	74 Preschool enrolment (5 years and under—not in school)	75 Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	76 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	77 Adult enrolment (18 and over)	78 Equipping Centers enrolment	79 N C M T / Survival Kit enrolment	80 MasterLife enrolment	81 Other enrolment	82 Hold File, enrolment	83 General officers enrolment	84 Enrolment of missions of church	85 Total Church Training enrolment	86 Baptist Doctrine Study Y: Yes N: No
Macedonia		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Mount Zion		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Nakina	Vernon McKeithan, Route 1, Nakina	0	11	17	17	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	48	N
New Hope	Mrs. Joanne Thompson, Route 6, Box 328, Whiteville	10	19	18	65	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	115	Y
Oak Dale		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Peace		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Piney Forest	Ward Shaw, Route 2, Chadbourn	2	1	2	15	0	0	0	0	7	1	0	28	N
Pleasant Hill		0	0	0	0	35	2	0	0	0	0	0	37	Y
Pleasant Plains														
Porter Swamp	Cecil Williamson, Route 1, Cerro Gordo	5	13	6	33	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	60	N
Riegelwood		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Smyrna		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Sweet Home	-	3	11	18	0	0	0	0	78	32	4	0	146	Y
Tabor City	Mike Jones, Box 674, Tabor City	18	30	47	70	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	165	N
Trinity	Bill Meadows, Route 5, Box 380-B, Whiteville	16	30	26	46	29	0	0	29	0	4	0	180	Y
Union Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Union Valley		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Y
Western Prong	Jimmy Lanehart, Route 1, Box 106-A, Whiteville	7	9	15	33	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	67	Y
Westside	Mrs. Viola Fonvielle, 216 Wall Street, Tabor City	5	6	14	29	0	8	0	0	0	2	0	64	N
White Marsh		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Whiteville First		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Whiteville West		0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	N
Williamson's X Rds.		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N

ABLE D MUSIC MINISTRY

YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1983 (Month & Day)

ssociation Columbus

tate North Carolina

ssociational Music Director Rev. Herman Goodin

ddress P. O. Box 159 City Cerro Gordo State North Carolina Zip 28432

CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	87 Preschool enrolment (4-5 years)	88 Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	89 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	90 Adult enrolment (18 and over)	91 Handbell ringers enrolment	92 Vocal ensembles enrolment	93 Instrumental ensembles enrolment	94 General music leaders enrolment	95 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	96 Total ongoing Church Music enrolment	97 Church Music Average Weekly Ongoing Attendance	98 Senior adult choir enrolment
Antioch	David Barden, Route 3, Box 258-B, Whiteville	0	12	12	20	0	0	0	6	0	44	30	0
Boardman													
Bolton		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brunswick	Larry Ezzell, Box 24, Brunswick	2	8	10	10	0	2	0	5	0	37	25	0
Calvary	Tommy Matthews, Route 5, Box 109-D, Whiteville	0	0	5	16	0	0	0	4	0	25	25	0
Cedar Grove	Jerry Greene, Route 1, Cerro Gordo	7	5	14	18	0	0	0	4	0	48	40	0
Cerro Gordo	Rev. Herman Goodin, Box 159, Cerro Gordo	0	15	0	22	0	0	0	4	0	41	30	0
Chadbourn	Miss Risa Ann Pless, Route 3, Box 260, Chadbourn	5	20	0	28	0	0	0	3	0	57	50	0
Cheerful Hope	Bobby R. Ellis, Route 1, Box 66-C, Delco	6	7	0	15	0	1	0	2	0	31	20	0
Cherry Grove	Mrs. Gwen Boone, Route 1, Box 264, Cerro Gordo	0	0	0	20	0	0	0	3	0	23	15	0
China Grove	James H. Nobles, 110 Kinlaw Drive, Chadbourn	0	0	0	20	0	0	0	5	0	23	0	20
Clarendon	Mrs. Margaret Hewett, Box 218, Tabor City	4	7	17	16	0	0	4	0	0	48	32	0
Corinth	Tommy Bullard, Route 3, Chadbourn	0	9	0	12	0	0	0	3	0	24	10	0
Delco	Glen Evans, Box 112, Delco	8	5	10	18	0	0	10	12	0	53	40	0
Evergreen	Mrs. Faye McClary, Route 1, Evergreen	7	9	6	16	18	3	0	7	0	63	40	0
Fair Bluff	James Degner, Fair Bluff	0	25	8	20	0	8	0	4	0	65	135	15
Faith		0	8	0	8	0	0	0	2	0	18	8	0
Forest Lawn	Cecil Stanley, Route 2, Tabor City	5	0	4	10	12	0	0	5	0	36	14	0
Friendly Chapel	Mrs. Irene Waddell, 1205 Pinkney Street, Whiteville	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	3	0	15	12	0
Gapway	Jerry Buffkin, Route 1, Box 214, Green Sea, S. C. 29545	0	0	10	5	0	0	0	3	0	18	15	0
Hallsboro	Mrs. Teresa Hardline, Box 41, Hallsboro	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	2	0	14	9	0
Hinson's Cross Roads	Graham Ellis, Route 1, Box 43, Fair Bluff	0	0	17	18	0	0	0	5	0	38	15	0
Iron Hill	Wilbert Ray, Roure 3, Box 25, Tabor City	0	0	10	12	0	5	0	3	0	30	15	0
Lake Waccamaw		0	7	0	15	0	0	0	3	0	25	16	0
Lennon's Cross Roads	Tommy Hinson, Route 1, Box 362, Evergreen	5	4	20	8	0	15	0	6	0	88	45	18

TABLE D MUSIC MINISTRY

YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1983
(Month & Day)

Association Columbus

State North Carolina

Associational Music Director Rev. Herman Goodin

Address P. O. Box 159 City Cerro Gordo State North Carolina Zip 28430

CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	87 Preschool enrolment (4-5 years)	88 Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	89 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	90 Adult enrolment (18 and over)	91 Handbell ringers enrolment	92 Vocal ensembles enrolment	93 Instrumental ensembles enrolment	94 General music leaders enrolment	95 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	96 Total ongoing Church Music enrolment	97 Church Music Average Weekly Ongoing Attendance	98 Senior adult choir enrolment
Macedonia	Ralph Nance, Route 1, Evergreen	0	0	0	16	0	0	0	4	0	20	20	0
Mount Zion	Mrs. Kitty Blanton, Route 2, Box 143, Whiteville	0	7	0	15	0	0	0	3	0	25	10	0
Nakina	Mrs. Carolyn Suggs, Route 4, Whiteville	4	10	8	20	0	0	0	2	0	44	29	0
New Hope		5	22	8	22	0	0	0	9	0	66	44	0
Oak Dale	Mrs. Deborah Wyatt, Route 1, Box 262-AA, Whiteville	0	7	7	15	0	0	0	0	0	29	15	0
Peace	Jeffrey Peterson, Route 6, Box 191-B, Whiteville	3	6	0	16	0	0	0	3	0	28	25	0
Piney Forest	Mrs. Rachel Arnette, Route 3, Box 260, Chadbourn	0	0	0	10	0	2	0	1	0	11	8	0
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Gralyn Buffkin, Route 5, Box 23-W, Whiteville	0	0	0	19	0	0	0	5	0	22	14	0
Pleasant Plains													
Porter Swamp	Mrs. Mable Harrelson, Route 1, Cerro Gordo	5	0	0	15	0	0	0	3	0	23	15	0
Riegelwood	Dale Blake, Ole Towne Road, Leland, N. C. 28451	3	13	25	33	0	12	0	7	0	93	33	0
Smyrna	Al Norris, 201 W. Oliver Street, Whiteville	0	0	16	21	0	0	0	4	0	41	20	18
Sweet Home	Anthony Fipps, Route 3, Box 250, Whiteville	12	15	27	22	0	16	0	7	0	99	60	0
Tabor City	Jim Smith, 104 Garrell Street, Whiteville	28	66	55	70	27	14	0	10	0	270	221	0
Trinity	Tom Carringer, Route 6, Box 329-A, Whiteville	27	32	33	42	0	0	0	8	0	142	64	0
Union Chapel	Mrs. Patty Hobbs, Route 1, Box 777-L, Lake Waccamaw	4	5	5	7	0	0	0	2	0	23	18	0
Union Valley	W. C. Butler, Route 5, Whiteville	0	4	11	21	0	6	0	3	0	35	30	0
Western Prong	Mrs. Dot Thompson, Route 5, Box 412, Whiteville	0	8	18	0	0	0	0	1	0	27	10	30
Westside	Joshua Soles, Route 2, Box 9, Tabor ity	8	0	14	0	0	0	0	3	0	25	20	0
White Marsh	Mrs. Mildred Lancaster, Route 2, Box 259-A, Whiteville	4	7	7	27	0	1	0	4	0	50	16	15
Whiteville First	Mrs. Carol Greer, Smyrna Road, Whiteville	12	18	12	26	0	0	0	7	0	75	57	26
Whiteville West	Mrs. Joann Todd, Route 5, Box 357-A, Whiteville	2	3	0	14	0	0	0	3	0	22	10	0
Williamson's X Rds.	Carroll Martin, Route 3, Chadbourn	5	4	6	4	9	0	0	0	3	31	20	0

TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1983 (Month & Day)

Association Columbus

State North Carolina

Associational WMU Director Mrs. Faye Pierce

Address Route 2, Box 54-C City Whiteville State North Carolina Zip 28472

CHURCHES	WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	99	100	101	102	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110	111	112	113
		Number of Organizations							Enrolment							
		Mission Friends (5 years and under—not in school)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H S graduation through 29 years)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	Mission(s) of church	Total number of organizations	Mission Friends (5 years and under—not in school)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H S graduation through 29 years)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	WMU officers	Mission(s) of church	Total ongoing WMU enrolment
Antioch	Mrs. Linda Hewett, Route 4, Box 134-F, Whiteville	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	5	0	8	2	0	15
Boardman																
Bolton		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brunswick	Mrs. Dorothy Rich, Box 71, Brunswick	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	16	0	22	1	0	39
Calvary	Mrs. Martha Matthews, Route 5, Box 109-D, Whiteville	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	0	5	7	0	14	4	0	30
Cedar Grove	Mrs. Bobbie Bass, Route 1, Cerro Gordo	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	12	7	12	3	10	2	0	46
Cerro Gordo	Mrs. Doris Goodin, Box 159, Cerro Gordo	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	5	8	8	0	20	5	0	46
Chadbourn	Mrs. Linda Nance, 114 Pinecrest Drive, Chadbourn	1	2	1	1	4	0	9	12	15	11	7	62	9	0	116
Cheerful Hope	Mrs. Mary Woolard, Route 1, Box 67-H, Delco	1	1	1	0	0	1	4	7	5	7	0	0	5	22	46
Cherry Grove	Mrs. Shirley Hendrix, Route 2, Box 92-A, Tabor City	1	1	0	1	1	0	4	10	12	0	12	11	7	0	52
China Grove		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clarendon	Mrs. Shirley Carter, Box 275, Bladenboro	1	0	1	0	1	1	4	5	0	12	0	10	6	4	37
Corinth	Mrs. Elouise Bullard, Route 3, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	11	4	0	15
Delco	Mrs. Connie Hufham, Box 128, Delco	1	1	1	0	0	1	4	7	12	9	0	8	3	0	41
Evergreen		1	1	1	0	1	1	4	8	5	6	0	14	1	0	34
Fair Bluff	Mrs. Shirley Lawson, Fair Bluff	1	2	1	1	3	0	8	4	6	7	14	39	3	0	69
Faith	Mrs. Lena Frink, Route 1, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	6	1	0	7
Forest Lawn	Mrs. Shirley Ferguson, Box 633, Chadbourn	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	9	0	0	10	4	0	23
Friendly Chapel	Mrs. Oree Dew, 315 Wilkes Street, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	10	1	0	11
Gapway		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hallsboro	Mrs. Lucille Greene, Box 40, Hallsboro	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	19	7	0	26
Hinson's Cross Roads	Mrs. Donnie Hammond, Route 1, Box 148, Cerro Gordo	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	13	0	0	0	0	5	18
Iron Hill		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lake Waccamaw	Mrs. Mary Williamson, Box 224, Lake Waccamaw	0	1	0	0	2	0	3	0	12	0	0	26	1	0	39
Lennon's Cross Roads	Mrs. Gene Hickman, Sr., Route 1, Box 621, Bladenboro	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	7	10	9	0	23	6	0	55

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TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, (Month & Day) 1983

Association Columbus

State North Carolina

Associational WMU Director Mrs. Faye Pierce

Address Route 2, Box 54-C City Whiteville State North Carolina Zip 28472

		99	100	101	102	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110	111	112	113
		Number of Organizations							Enrolment							
CHURCHES	WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	Mission Friends (5 years and under—not in school)	Girls in action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H S graduation through 29 years)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	Mission(s) of church	Total number of organizations	Mission Friends (5 years and under—not in school)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H S graduation through 29 years)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	WMU officers	Mission(s) of church	Total ongoing WMU enrolment
Macedonia		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Zion	Mrs. Kate Brown, Roue 2, Box 162, Clarkton	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	6	7	7	0	15	4	0	39
Nakina	Mrs. Cleo Ward, Route 1, Nakina	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	10	2	0	12
New Hope	Mrs. Mona McLelland, Box 1142, Whiteville	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	7	15	6	6	57	4	0	95
Oak Dale	Mrs. Nellie Britt, Route 1, Box 262-A, Whiteville	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	10	0	0	8	3	0	21
Peace	Mrs. L. A. Hinson, Route 6, Box 34, Whiteville	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	11	0	0	8	2	0	21
Piney Forest	Mrs. Rachel Arnette, Route 3, Box 260, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	27	0	0	27
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Alice Boswell, Route 3, Box 210-D, Whiteville	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	4	4	4	17	15	8	0	52
Pleasant Plains																
Porter Swamp	Mrs. Mildred Edwards, Route 1, Box 30, Fair Bluff	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	6	0	10	2	0	18
Riegelwood	Mrs. Robbie Bigford, Box 218, Riegelwood	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	5	9	9	22	17	4	0	66
Smyrna	Mrs. Juanita Hooks, Route 2, Chadbourn	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	6	7	8	0	34	8	0	63
Sweet Home		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tabor City	Mrs. Donna Stanley, Box 427, Tabor City	1	2	1	0	1	0	5	14	22	12	15	70	3	0	136
Trinity	Mrs. Frances McCraw, Route 7, Box C-29, Whiteville	3	2	2	1	2	0	10	25	25	20	18	50	6	0	144
Union Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Union Valley	Mrs. Thea Skipper, Route 5, Box 444, Whiteville	1	1	1	0	1	4	4	5	4	7	3	10	5	34	34
Western Prong	Mrs. Frances Inman, Route 1, Box 48-A, Whiteville	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	3	8	6	3	62	6	0	88
Westside	Mrs. Agnes Soles, Route 2, Box 9, Tabor City	1	1	1	0	1	1	5	8	3	4	0	12	1	1	28
White Marsh	Miss Jackie Fleming, Route 6, Box 389, Whiteville	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	3	11	11	0	32	5	0	62
Whiteville First	Mrs. Mary Jean Prince, Fuller Street, Whiteville	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	14	16	6	19	96	9	8	168
Whiteville West	Mrs. Geraldine Williams, Route 6, Box 133, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	8	10
Williamson's X Rds.		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

TABLE F BROTHERHOOD

YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1983
(Month & Day)

Association
Columbus

State
North Carolina

Associational Brotherhood Director
Jack Strickland

Address
Route 1, Box 208
City Cerro Gordo State North Carolina Zip 28430

CHURCHES	BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	114 Crusaders (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	115 Pioneers (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	116 RA director and committee	117 Baptist Men enrolment-Basic	118 Baptist Men enrolment-Prayer	119 Baptist Men enrolment-Mission Action	120 Baptist Men enrolment-Witnessing or Lay Renewal	121 Brotherhood director and other general Brotherhood Officers	122 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	123 Total ongoing Brotherhood enrolment
Antioch		1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Boardman											
Bolton		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brunswick		8	13	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	22
Calvary		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cedar Grove	Joel McLelland, Route 1, Cerro Gordo	12	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	19
Cerro Gordo		13	17	1	0	5	0	0	0	0	36
Chadbourn		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cheerful Hope	D. J. Peterson, Route 1, Box 67-B, Delco	5	10	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	16
Cherry Grove	Robert Faulk, Route 2, Box 84-A, Tabor City	11	15	0	15	0	0	0	5	0	46
China Grove		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clarendon	Bobby N. Stanley, Route 1, Box 2, Clarendon	5	9	2	0	0	0	8	1	0	25
Corinth		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Delco	Martin Benton, Route 1, Box 98-D, Delco	4	2	1	9	0	0	0	2	0	18
Evergreen	Robert Shaw, Route 1, Box 62, Evergreen	6	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	12
Fair Bluff	Johnny Cutrell, Fair Bluff	16	14	6	18	9	0	0	3	0	66
Faith		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Forest Lawn		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Friendly Chapel	Philip Dew, 315 Wilkes Street, Chadbourn	7	2	1	0	0	0	0	2	7	19
Gapway	Sammy Inman, Route 2, Box 53-E, Tabor City	8	18	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	28
Hallsboro		0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Hinson's Cross Roads	James Jenkins, Box 324, Fair Bluff	12	12	3	14	0	0	0	4	0	45
Iron Hill		0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	5
Lake Waccamaw		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lennon's Cross Roads	Hiram Callihan, Route 1, Box 494, Bladenboro	4	18	1	0	2	1	5	7	0	38

TABLE F BROTHERHOOD

YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1983
(Month & Day)

Association
Columbus

North Carolina

Associational Brotherhood Director
Jack Strickland

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State North Carolina
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CHURCHES	BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	114 Crusaders (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	115 Pioneers (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	116 RA director and committee	117 Baptist Men enrolment-Basic	118 Baptist Men enrolment-Prayer	119 Baptist Men enrolment-Mission Action	120 Baptist Men enrolment: Witnessing or Lay Renewal	121 Brotherhood director and other general Brotherhood Officers	122 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	123 Total ongoing Brotherhood enrolment
Macedonia		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Zion		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nakina		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
New Hope	Ed Lord, Route 3, Box 73-A, Whiteville	7	3	3	2	2	2	2	4	10	35
Oak Dale	Charles Horne, Route 1, Box 250, Whiteville	4	0	1	9	0	0	0	1	0	17
Peace	Waldo Nye, Route 3, Box D-12, Whiteville	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	2	10	20
Piney Forest		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pleasant Hill		4	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Pleasant Plains											
Porter Swamp		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Riegelwood	Cameron Norris, Box 56, Riegelwood	18	22	6	0	0	0	26	4	0	76
Smyrna	James M. Long, Route 2, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sweet Home		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tabor City	Kenneth Ray, 703 Anderson Street, Tabor City	30	25	1	30	0	0	0	1	0	87
Trinity	Bill McCraw, Route 7, Box C-29, Whiteville	16	22	1	17	0	17	0	4	0	77
Union Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Union Valley		6	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	12
Western Prong	Grady Norton, Route 2, Clarkton	4	10	3	8	0	1	1	4	31	31
Westside	Randy Graham, Route 1, Loris, S. C. 29569	4	5	1	0	0	0	0	3	12	25
White Marsh		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Whiteville First		28	20	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	49
Whiteville West		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Williamson's X Rds.		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

TABLE G TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP YEAR ENDING 9-30 1983 (Month & Day)

Association Columbus

State North Carolina

Associational Treasurer Mrs. Brenda Jolly

Address P. O. Box 1095 City Whiteville State North Carolina Zip 28472

CHURCHES	TREASURERS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	21 Number of tithers	22 Cooperative Program goal as percent of undesignated receipts	23 Associational missions goal as percent of undesignated receipts	124 Undesignated gifts, offerings, etc	125 Designated gifts, offerings, etc.	126 Total tithes, all offerings, and special gifts	127 All other receipts	128 Total Receipts	129 Money borrowed during the year	130 Church staff salaries	131 Money paid out on new construction during the year	132 Debt retirement during the year	133 Church literature	134 All other local expenditures	135 Total local expenditures
Antioch	Mrs. Betty Ward, Route 4, Box 140-A, Whiteville	18	21	1	27,401	6,505	33,906	733	34,639	0	12,224	0	16,480	1,334	3,606	33,674
Boardman																
Bolton	Mrs. Harry Lee Parker, Route 1, Bolton	10			31,931	748	32,679	0	32,679	0	9,510	0	13,815	1,439	5,647	30,411
Brunswick	Mrs. Jean Norris, Route 6, Box 119, Whiteville	10	5	2	14,863	8,610	23,473	2,435	25,909	0	9,650	11,000	0	1,385	14,833	36,867
Calvary	Mrs. Esther Pope, Route 3, Box 50, Whiteville	-	0	0	36,763	1,753	38,516	841	39,357	0	10,782	0	7,248	1,265	5,301	13,798
Cedar Grove	Johnnie Greene, Route 1, Box 20, Cerro Gordo	1	7	3	20,961	5,000	25,961	0	25,961	27,000	12,000	85,000	2,000	1,180	6,000	107,180
Cerro Gordo	Floyd Harrelson, Box 164, Cerro Gordo	41	10	3	50,275	7,257	57,532	2,444	59,975	0	19,048	0	0	3,352	30,228	52,628
Chadbourn	Ms. Janice P. McRae, 606 E. First Ave., Chadbourn	30	7	1.5	82,511	11,521	94,032	0	94,032	0	21,938	0	0	3,071	50,402	75,411
Cheerful Hope	Mrs. Debbie Bracey, Route 1, Box 62-B, Delco	12	0	0	26,526	1,759	28,285	0	28,285	0	15,570	243	0	741	3,505	20,059
Cherry Grove	Mrs. Ann Strickland, Route 1, Box 258, C. Gordo	37	11	4	68,596	10,064	78,660	1,127	79,786	7,500	26,631	0	7,968	4,259	30,607	69,465
China Grove	Edward Clewis, Route 2, Box 412, Chadbourn	-	-	-	17,237	2,482	19,718	0	19,718	0	9,440	0	0	1,134	4,033	14,607
Clarendon	Eugene Richardson, Route 1, Box 30, Clarendon	30	3	3	36,945	5,436	42,381	2,102	44,483	0	16,556	0	0	1,725	12,325	30,606
Corinth	Miss Geraldine Rabon, Route 3, Chadbourn	12			22,079	0	0	0	22,079	0	13,240	1,002	2,118	768	6,501	23,632
Delco	Mrs. Virginia Lane, Route 2, Box 108, Riegelwood	15	13.5	4	31,732	5,830	37,562	1,974	39,536	0	14,364	21,396	0	1,605	5,996	57,725
Evergreen	Mrs. Bobbie Floyd, Evergreen		10		36,804	0	36,804	0	36,804	8,259	12,940	0	8,259	2,426	21,609	36,974
Fair Bluff	Schley W. Waddell, Fair Bluff		10		84,915	18,146	103,061	0	103,061	0	22,404	0	12,000	3,838	0	38,242
Faith	Mrs. Wilmer Hughes, Route 1, Chadbourn	14	3	3	19,971	603	20,574	0	20,574	0	9,473	0	1,560	451	7,335	18,819
Forest Lawn	Lonnie Hinson, Route 3, Whiteville	12	1	1	0	0	32,360	0	32,360	0	15,320	3,734	0	1,608	8.757	29,419
Friendly Chapel	Mrs. Irene Waddell, 1205 Pinkney St., Whiteville	14	0	0	12,000	0	12,000	0	12,000	0	7,800	0	0	300	3,900	12,000
Gapway	Jimmy L. Fowler, Route 2, Box 53-D, Tabor City	3	0	0	11,190	0	11,190	0	11,190	0	3,175	0	0	738	2,778	6,691
Hallsboro	Mrs. Ann Jones, Route 1, Box 301-A, Hallsboro	12	12	5	35,188	7,117	42,305	384	42,689	0	22,665	0	0	2,397	9,286	34,348
Hinson's Cross Roads	O. C. Jenkins, Jr., Route 1, Box 48, Cerro Gordo	22	4.9	2.1	40,133	6,360	46,493	0	46,493	0	12,732	0	0	3,046	12,177	27,955
Iron Hill	Ford Inman, Route 3, Box 38, Tabor City	12	4		24,486	0	24,486	405	24,891	0	17,200	0	0	1,060	7,614	25,874
Lake Waccamaw	Mrs. Thetus Hughes, 102 Canal Road, L. Waccamaw	-	8	2	53,157	6,240	59,397	0	59,397	0	23,879	0	0	2,189	27,352	53,420
Lennon's Cross Roads	Bernard Lennon, Route 1, Box 436, Evergreen	60	25	3	65,419	23,338	88,757	1,127	89,884	0	15,000	0	0	1,427	22,520	40,947

TABLE G TOTAL RECEIPTS LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP YEAR ENDING 9-30-1983

Association
Columbus

State
North Carolina

Associational Treasurer
Mrs. Brenda Jolly

Address: P. O. Box 1095 City: Whiteville State: North Carolina Zip: 28472

CHURCHES	TREASURERS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	21 Number of tithers	22 Cooperative Program goal as percent of undesignated receipts	23 Associational missions goal as percent of undesignated receipts	124 Undesignated gifts offerings etc	125 Designated gifts, offerings, etc	126 Total tithes, all offerings, and special gifts	127 All other receipts	128 Total Receipts	129 Money borrowed during the year	130 Church staff salaries	131 Money paid out on new construction during the year	132 Debt retirement during the year	133 Church literature	134 All other local expenditures	135 Total local expenditures
Macedonia	Mrs. Linda Brown, Route 1, Evergreen		5	5	42,993	0	42,993	2,605	45,598	0	19,200	923	0	1,126	4,352	25,601
Mount Zion	Mrs. Betty Sue Baldwin, Route 2, Box 113-A, W'ville				17,053	3,751	20,804	2,257	23,061	0	11,713	0	0	1,199	8,707	21,619
Nakina	Mrs. Ralph Sasser, Route 1, Nakina	3	3		30,508	5,569	36,077	569	36,646	0	3,225	2,015	0	1,463	24,782	31,485
New Hope	Mrs. Linda Goldston, Box 218, Whiteville	75	20	5	58,628	26,389	85,017	0	85,017	0	21,495	0	18,889	4,102	26,421	70,907
Oak Dale	Mrs. Kimble Brock, Route 1, Box 198, Whiteville	12	4	12.5	19,937	2,112	22,049	739	22,788	0	6,014	0	0	868	15,409	22,291
Peace	C. F. Hines, Route 5, Box 43, Whiteville	14			21,042	896	21,938	0	21,938	0	13,067	4,186	2,118	578	1,983	21,932
Piney Forest	Raymond Yates, Route 3, Chadbourn	15	10	1	30,925	2,692	33,617	0	33,617	0	10,084	0	0	2,011	13,690	25,785
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Gussie Woodell, 416 Clay St., Whiteville	15	12	4	28,539	8,337	36,876	110	36,987	5,000	11,366	8,482	2,500	1,376	6,884	28,108
Pleasant Plains																
Porter Swamp	Mrs. Jane Ford, Route 1, Cerro Gordo	26	6	4	60,698	1,684	62,382	3,300	68,982	0	25,692	3,814	0	1,624	59,776	90,906
Riegelwood	Phil Dodson, Box 142, Riegelwood	38	13	4	69,763	16,752	86,515	5,488	92,003	0	30,927	0	0	3,736	15,819	50,482
Smyrna	Earl Goins, 515 W. Nance St., Whiteville	30	16	6	42,806	11,939	54,745	0	54,745	0	14,400	0	0	2,493	13,488	30,381
Sweet Home	Malcolm Mills, Route 1, Box 129-A, Clarendon	10			27,141	11,264	38,405	897	39,302	0	17,400	0	9,021	1,491	6,681	34,593
Tabor City	C. C. Willoughby, Route 2, Box 105, TaborCity		12.5	1.8	155,111	199,803	354,914	39,736	394,650	0	75,067	146,978	0	11,198	76,924	310,167
Trinity	V. C. Duncan, Route 1, Box 368, Whiteville	190	18	4	176,077	24,355	190,432	0	200,432	0	70,413	0	10,000	10,241	22,554	113,208
Union Chapel	Billy Hobbs, Route 1, Hallsboro	3			3,962	208	4,170	0	4,170	0	3,000	175	780	295	390	4,640
Union Valley	Michael Knotts, Box 312, Whiteville	12	4	2	28,086	6,057	34,143	894	35,036	4,000	17,243	14,779	0	1,012	5,322	38,356
Western Prong	Grady Jordan, Route 2, Box 97, Clarkton	75	15		72,300	13,000	85,300	1,112	86,412	0	32,985	0	0	5,647	34,122	75,754
Westside	Mrs. Mary Watts, Route 1, Box 355, Tabor City	50	10	10	28,704	14,912	43,616	1,050	44,666	0	13,975	0	0	2,184	7,396	23,555
White Marsh	J. C. Batten, Route 2, Box 306, Whiteville	11	8	2	31,338	5,037	36,375	0	36,375	0	12,380	0	0	1,523	13,717	27,620
Whiteville First	Allen Price, Box 398, Whiteville	-	25	2.5	175,762	89,836	265,598	1,563	267,161	55,000	66,041	102,576	0	7,122	66,104	241,843
Whiteville West	Mrs. Teresa Powell, 806 N. Lee St., Whiteville	13	8	2	14,500	2,300	16,800	0	16,800	0	9,900	0	0	910	4,225	15,035
Williamson's X Rds.	H. G. Williamson, Cerro Gordo	0	7	2	26,825	2,175	29,000	0	29,000	0	14,664	0	0	1,000	8,960	24,624

TABLE H MISSION EXPENDITURES

Association Columbus
YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1983 (Month & Day)
State North Carolina
Associational Clerk Ms. Wanda Horton
Address Route 5, Box 99 City Whiteville State North Carolina Zip 28472

		CHURCH SPONSORED MISSIONS				OTHER MISSION CAUSE EXPENDITURES										
		136	137	138	139	140	141	142	143	144	145	146	147	148	149	150
CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	Money paid out on new construction during the year	All other church sponsored mission expenditures	Total church sponsored mission expenditures	Cooperative Program	Associational missions program	State missions	SB Home Missions (incl. Annie Armstrong Easter offering)	SB Foreign Missions (incl. Lottie Moon Christmas offering)	SB Christian education (schools etc.)	SB Children's Homes (cash plus goods)	SB Hospitals	SB Homes for the aged	All other (Bible Society, Temperance League etc.)	Total other mission cause expenditures	Grand Total Mission expenditures
Antioch	Mrs. Vera Fowler, Route 1, Box 103-P, Clarendon	0	0	0	1,621	175	124	217	550	0	0	0	0	300	1,366	2,988
Boardman																
Bolton	Mrs. Velma Herren, Box 355, Bolton	0	0	0	950	450	0	197	671	0	0	0	0	0	1,318	2,268
Brunswick	Ms. Bonnie Inman, Route 6, Box 159, Whiteville	0	0	0	761	305	194	337	546	0	0	0	0	0	1,382	2,143
Calvary	Mrs. Linda Harrelson, Route 3, Box 74-D, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	384	0	105	300	0	0	0	0	100	889	889
Cedar Grove	Mitchell Bowen, Route 1, Box 22, Cerro Gordo	1,287	0	1,287	1,462	505	275	302	513	0	0	0	0	0	1,595	4,344
Cerro Gordo	J. P. Hammond, Box 117, Cerro Gordo	0	0	0	5,072	1,508	521	820	936	0	0	0	0	0	3,784	8,857
Chadbourn	Miss Elaine Carr, Box 324, Chadbourn	0	0	0	5,000	1,100	767	830	1,634	0	0	0	0	1,696	6,027	11,027
Cheerful Hope	Mrs. Linda G. Hewett, Route 1, Box 62-E, Delco	0	0	0	2,200	600	110	424	444	0	0	0	0	0	1,578	3,778
Cherry Grove	Rudolph Lancaster, Route 1, Box 345, Green Sea, S.C.	0	0	0	8,346	3,127	500	1,251	1,312	0	0	0	0	0	6,191	14,537
China Grove	Mrs. Ila Clewis, Route 2, Box 412, Chadbourn	0	0	0	400	300	149	0	113	0	0	0	0	297	859	1,259
Clarendon	Eugene Richardson, Route 1, Box 30, Clarendon	0	0	0	1,200	800	500	2,100	2,030	0	0	0	0	900	6,330	7,530
Corinth	J. A. Bowen, Box 211, Chadbourn	0	0	0	200	150	15	92	127	0	0	0	0	70	454	654
Delco	Mrs. Margaret A. Evans, Route 1, Box 120, Delco	0	0	0	3,700	1,558	705	682	1,008	0	0	0	0	0	3,954	7,654
Evergreen	Mrs. Reba Bartley, Route 1, Box 77, Evergreen	0	301	301	3,260	1,000	778	942	1,827	0	0	0	0	0	4,547	7,807
Fair Bluff	Harold Foley, Fair Bluff	0	0	0	5,646	1,425	600	1,620	1,904	0	0	0	0	563	6,111	11,746
Faith	Mrs. L. H. Shuman, Route 5, Box 65, Whiteville	0	0	0	26	125	0	125	161	0	0	0	0	0	411	437
Forest Lawn	Mitchell Wright, Route 1, Box 18, Tabor City	0	0	0	375	375	150	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	525	900
Friendly Chapel	Mrs. Debbie Holcomb, Route 5, Box 102, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	150	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	150
Gapway	Sammy Inman, Route 2, Box 53-E, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	560	560	560
Hallsboro	R. B. Wyche, Box 183, Hallsboro	0	0	0	3,814	1,563	263	455	1,165	0	0	0	0	155	3,601	7,415
Hinson's Cross Roads	Mrs. L. V. Reel, Box 5, Fair Bluff	0	0	0	1,950	500	0	400	740	0	0	0	0	100	1,740	3,690
Iron Hill	James I. Spivey, Route 3, Box 77, Tabor City	0	0	0	1,014	200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	200	1,214
Lake Waccamaw	Mrs. Ann Edens, Route 1, Box 226 A, Lake Waccamaw	0	0	0	3,150	800	115	306	725	0	0	0	0	0	1,966	5,116
Lennon's Cross Roads	Hiram Callihan, Route 1, Box 395, Bladenboro	0	0	0	11,360	1,362	2,325	2,540	4,272	0	0	0	0	0	10,499	21,859

TABLE H MISSION EXPENDITURES

YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1983 (Month & Day)

Association Columbus

State North Carolina

Associational Clerk Ms. Wanda Horton

Address Route 5, Box 99 City Whiteville State North Carolina Zip 28472

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		CHURCH SPONSORED MISSIONS				OTHER MISSION CAUSE EXPENDITURES										
CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	Money paid out on new construction during the year	All other church sponsored mission expenditures	Total church sponsored mission expenditures	Cooperative Program	Associational missions program	State missions	SB Home Missions (incl. Annie Armstrong Easter offering)	SB Foreign Missions (incl. Lottie Moon Christmas offering)	SB Christian education (schools, etc.)	SB Children's homes (cash plus goods)	SB Hospitals	SB Homes for the aged	All other (Bible Society, Temperance League, etc.)	Total other mission cause expenditures	Grand Total Mission expenditures
Macedonia	Mrs. Carolyn Reynolds, Route 1, Evergreen	0	0	0	200	200	100	0	1,000	0	188	242	0	0	1,730	1,930
Mount Zion	Ms. Elaine H. Hughes, Route 2, Box 142, Whiteville	600	0	600	700	145	40	400	595	0	0	0	0	0	1,181	2,481
Nakina	Mrs. Ralph Sasser, Route 1, Nakina	0	0	0	731	300	0	350	300	0	0	0	0	707	1,657	2,388
New Hope	Mrs. Linda Goldston, Box 218, Whiteville	0	0	0	10,911	2,561	178	491	1,132	0	0	0	0	0	4,362	15,273
Oak Dale	Mrs. Carol Brock, Route 1, Box 198, Whiteville	0	0	0	717	200	0	307	214	0	0	50	0	0	771	1,488
Peace	Mrs. Ruby Hines, Route 5, Box 43, Whiteville	0	0	0	500	200	101	0	275	0	0	0	0	0	576	1,076
Piney Forest	Dr. Robert Yates, Box 468, Chadbourn	0	0	0	2,558	500	553	1,028	1,430	0	0	0	0	1,081	4,592	11,742
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Virginia Buffkin, Route 5, Box 71, Whiteville	0	0	0	2,861	971	374	740	1,298	0	0	0	0	225	3,608	6,470
Pleasant Plains																
Porter Swamp	Ms. Melinda Edwards, Route 1, Box 30, Fair Bluff	3,814	2,779	6,593	950	1,170	0	0	89	0	0	0	0	0	1,259	2,209
Riegelwood	Mrs. Beverly Benton, Box 262, Riegelwood	7,272	0	7,272	9,671	3,197	788	4,520	2,202	0	0	0	0	0	10,707	27,650
Smyrna	Mrs. Melba Gurkin, Route 5, Box 441, Whiteville	0	0	0	5,785	2,307	128	483	559	0	0	0	0	0	3,477	9,262
Sweet Home	Mrs. Nancy Marlowe, Route 1, Box 230, Clarendon	0	0	0	75	204	127	555	849	0	0	0	0	0	1,735	1,810
Tabor City	Jerry Bullard, Box 781, Tabor City	0	0	0	19,845	2,600	2,250	2,158	4,572	0	0	0	0	2,642	14,222	34,067
Trinity	Clyde Griffin, 106 South Franklin Street, Whiteville	11,635	0	11,635	8,699	5,254	1,925	2,118	2,945	0	0	0	0	25	12,267	32,601
Union Chapel	Mrs. Letha Squires, Route 1, Box 45, Bolton	0	0	0	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Union Valley	Mrs. Jessie L. Russ, Route 1, Box 376, Whiteville	0	0	0	1,200	600	700	218	365	0	0	0	0	44	1,927	3,127
Western Prong	Mrs. Jo Wooten, Route 1, Box 112, Clarkton	0	0	0	7,425	2,000	1,056	1,567	2,391	0	0	0	0	1,050	8,064	15,489
Westside	Mrs. Annie Inman, Route 1, Box 44, Tabor City	0	0	0	1,200	600	311	465	621	0	0	0	0	0	1,997	3,197
White Marsh	Billy Rushing, Route 2, Box 83-A, Whiteville	224	0	224	204	425	228	619	1,300	0	200	0	0	0	2,772	3,200
Whiteville First	Mrs. Jackie Jones, 1402 James Street, Whiteville	0	2,400	2,400	43,940	4,390	2,245	2,702	6,311	0	0	0	0	2,345	17,993	64,333
Whiteville West	Mrs. Ann B. Powell, Box 58, Hallsboro	0	0	0	116	23	45	64	100	0	0	40	0	0	272	388
Williamson's X Rds.	A. I. Williamson, Route 1, Box 370, Cerro Gordo	0	0	0	2,200	650	1,320	6,193	175	0	0	0	0	850	9,189	11,389

TABLE I SPECIAL INFORMATION

YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, (Month & Day) 1983

Association Columbus

State North Carolina

Moderator Bernard Lennon

Address Route 1, Box 436 City Evergreen State North Carolina Zip 28438

Does church have, observe, plan, use, etc.? Y=Yes N-No

CHURCHES	CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	29 No church-type missions started during the year	30 No church-type missions currently operating	31 No other-type missions started during the year	32 No other-type missions currently operating	33 No New Sunday School Members	34 No persons completing witness training	35 ($) Annie Armstrong Offering	36 Number church vocations volunteers	37 N=none TV=TV R=radio B=both	38 Number of families signing Bible Study Commitment Cards	39 Number S S Members not church members	40 No of college students baptized	41 G=growing S=stable D=declining	42 Weekday senior adult program	43 Equipping Center modules	44 Scholarship program for students	45 Christian life committee	46 LRW or MEW	47 Pastor employed elsewhere	48 Begin visitation program	49 Religious Liberty Sunday	50 Baptist Men's Day	51 Annuity Board protection	52 B M T prayer activities	53 State paper in budget
Antioch	Willard White, Route 3, Box 354, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	15	0	217	0	N	0	15	0	G	[illegible]	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y
Boardman																										
Bolton	J. P. Godin, Box 228, Bolton							197												X						Y
Brunswick	Gene Stevens, 403 W. Williamson St., Whiteville	0	0	0	0	5	10	150	0	N	0	10	0	S	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N
Calvary	Earl Ward, Box 38, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	23	0	105	0	N	0	1	0	S	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N
Cedar Grove	Kenneth Greene, Wildwood Acres, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	6	0	302	0	N	0	10	0	S	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N
Cerro Gordo	C. E. Williamson, Box 207, Cerro Gordo	0	0	0	0	8	0	820	0	N	0	7	0	S	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y
Chadbourn	Philip Strole, Route 2, Box 315, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	25	14	1,036	0	N	0	15	1	X	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Cheerful Hope	M. M. Saunders, Route 1, Box 66-B, Delco	0	0	0	0	7	0	424	0	N	0	9	0	S	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y
Cherry Grove	Wayne Hendrix, Route 2, Box 92-A, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	0	6	1,251	0	N	0	0	0	S	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N
China Grove	Spurgeon Nobles, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	N	0	26	0	S	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N
Clarendon	Bobby N. Stanley, Route 1, Box 2, Clarendon	0	0	0	0	11	0	2,100	0	N	0	9	0	S	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N
Corinth	Danny Britt, Route 3, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	7	1	92	0	N	0	0	0	D	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N
Delco	N. A. Lane, Route 2, Box 108, Riegelwood	0	0	0	0	12	9	682	0	N	0	15	0	S	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y
Evergreen	Hubert Bartley, Route 1, Box 477, Evergreen	2	7	0	0	0	2	942	1	N	0	0	0	D	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N
Fair Bluff		0	0	0	0	1	0	1,620	1	R	0	0	0	S	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N
Faith		0	0	0	0	7	2	125	0	N	0	6	0	G	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N
Forest Lawn	Cecil Stanley, Route 2, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	N	0	6	0	S	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N
Friendly Chapel	Garnet Holcomb, Route 5, Box 102, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	0	0	0	D	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Gapway	J. D. Lovette, Route 1, Green Sea, S. C. 29545	0	0	0	0	20	0	0	0	N	0	0	0	D	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N
Hallsboro	Wayne Tyler, Route 1, Box 185, Hallsboro	0	0	0	0	17	0	455	0	N	0	6	1	S	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N
Hinson's Cross Roads	Francis Floyd, Box 263, Fair Bluff	0	0	0	0	0	0	400	0	N	0	11	0	D	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N
Iron Hill	Wilbert Ray, Route 3, Box 25, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	4	0	50	0	N	0	10	0	S	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N
Lake Waccamaw		2	2	0	0	51	0	306	0	N	0	20	1	G	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N
Lennon's Cross Roads	Bernard Lennon, Route 1, Box 436, Evergreen	0	0	0	0	10	14	2,540	1	N	0	8	0	S	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N

TABLE I SPECIAL INFORMATION — YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1983 (Month & Day)

Association: Columbus
State: North Carolina
Moderator: Bernard Lennon
Address: Route 1, Box 436 — City: Evergreen — State: North Carolina — Zip: 28438

CHURCHES	CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	29 No church-type missions started during the year	30 No church-type missions currently operating	31 No other-type missions started during the year	32 No other-type missions currently operating	33 No New Sunday School Members	34 No persons completing witness training	35 ($) Annie Armstrong Offering	36 Number church vocations volunteers	37 N=none TV=TV R=radio B=both	38 Number of families signing Bible Study Commitment Cards	39 Number S S Members not church members	40 No of college students baptized	41 G=growing S=stable D=declining	42 Weekday senior adult program	43 Equipping Center modules	44 Scholarship program for students	45 Christian life committee	46 LRW or MEW	47 Pastor employed elsewhere	48 Begin visitation program	49 Religious Liberty Sunday	50 Baptist Man's Day	51 Annuity Board protection	52 B.M.T. prayer activities	53 State paper in budget
															Does church have, observe, plan, use, etc. Y=Yes N=No											
Macedonia	J. B. Williamson, Route 1, Evergreen	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	N	0	10	0	G	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	[illegible]	N	NN	
Mount Zion	Isaac McPherson, Route 2, Box 145, Whiteville								2	N			0	G	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	[illegible]	Y	NY	
Nakina	Roy Clerk, Route 1, Nakina	0	0	0	0	8	10	350	0		0	24	3	S	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	YN	
New Hope	J. G. White, Box 224, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	10	0	491	0	N	0	10	1	S	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	YY	
Oak Dale	Kimble Brock, Route 1, Box 198, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	15	0	307	1	N	0		0	S	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	[illegible]	Y	NY	
Peace	G. F. Hines, Route 5, Box 43, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	0	0	0	S	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	[illegible]	N	NN	
Piney Forest	David Pless, Box 296, Cerro Gordo	0	0	0	0	2	4	1,028	0	N	0	1	0		N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	NY	
Pleasant Hill	Earl McKeithan, 221 S. Brown St., Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	17	0	740	0	N	0	9	0	S	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	NN	
Pleasant Plains																										
Porter Swamp	Ray Benton, 101 Rosewood Drive, Lumberton 28358	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	N	0	20	0	S	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	Y	NN	
Riegelwood	Terry Bryant, Box 131, Riegelwood	0	0	0	0	10	0	1,800	0	N	0	15	0	S	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	NN	
Smyrna	Claude Hooks, Route 2, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0	0	483	0	N	0	10	0	S	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	YY	
Sweet Home	Bruce Simmons, Route 1, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	15	0	555	0	N	0	12	0	S	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	[illegible]	N	NN	
Tabor City	Tony Leggette, 110 Floyd Street, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	0	30	2,157	0	R	0	0	0	G	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	YY	
Trinity	Tom Ray, Route 6, Box 139-AA, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,418	0	R	0	0	0	S	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	NY	
Union Chapel	Alva Squires, Route 1, Box 45, Bolton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	0	6	0	S	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	[illegible]	N	NN	
Union Valley	Edwin Skipper, Route 5, Box 444, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	N	0	0	0	G	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	[illegible]	N	NY	
Western Prong	Gray Collier, Route 1, Bladenboro	0	0	0	0	9	30	1,567	0	N	0	9	0	S	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	YY	
Westside	Donnie Graham, Route 5, Box 129, Loris, S. C. 29569	0	0	0	0	9	0	465	0	N	0	12	0	S	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	YN	
White Marsh	Billy Rushing, Route 2, Box 83-A, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	5	0	618	0	N	0	10	0	G	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	YY	
Whiteville First	Lionel Todd, Fairfax Heights, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	12	0	2,702	0	R	0	-	0	S	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	[illegible]	Y	YN	
Whiteville West	Ray Galloway, Route 6, Box 134, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	6	0	200	0	N	0	5	0	S	X	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	NY	
Williamson's X Rds.	George Dillard, Evergreen	0	0	0	0	0	0	193	0	N	0	5	0	S	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	NY	

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Antioch	Col.	2	1	225	18	330,000	163	66	73	44	15	5	34,639	1,621	2,988
Boardman	Col.														
Bolton	Col.	0	3	113	10		108	58	0	0	0	0	32,679	950	2,268
Brunswick	Col.	7	3	129	10	200,000	73	58	46	37	39	22	25,909	761	2,143
Calvary	Col.	7	16	149	-	375,000	91	45	0	25	30	0	39,357	0	889
Cedar Grove	Col.	2	0	338	1	800,000	118	97	37	48	46	19	25,961	1,462	4,344
Cerro Gordo	Col.	2	0	319	41	475,000	163	83	40	41	46	36	59,975	5,072	8,857
Chadbourn	Col.	6	9	479	30	1,600,000	222	232	27	57	116	0	94,032	5,000	11,027
Cheerful Hope	Col.	2	3	78	12	50,000	94	64	0	31	46	16	28,285	2,200	3,778
Cherry Grove	Col.	9	4	457	37	548,000	200	103	202	23	52	46	79,786	8,346	14,537
China Grove	Col.	1	2	187	-	200,000	114	64	0	23	-	-	19,718	400	1,259
Clarendon	Col.	6	0	215	30	330,000	139	55	67	48	37	25	44,483	1,200	7,530
Corinth	Col.	10	2	115	12	80,000	90	0	0	24	15	0	22,079	200	654
Delco	Col.	3	5	193	15	225,000	140	88	20	53	41	18	39,536	3,700	7,654
Evergreen	Col.	0	0	258	0	441,036	240	72	15	63	34	12	36,804	3,260	7,807
Fair Bluff	Col.	3	0	476	-	350,000	225	64	0	65	69	66	103,061	5,646	11,746
Faith	Col.	1	0	76	14	150,000	47	30	26	18	7	0	20,574	26	437
Forest Lawn	Col.	2	2	198	12	205,000	106	55	0	36	23	0	32,360	375	900
Friendly Chapel	Col.	12	0	75	14	50,000	45	40	0	15	11	19	12,000	0	150
Gapway	Col.	4	0	209	3	105,000	147	72	0	18	0	28	11,190	0	560
Hallsboro	Col.	4	5	459	12	110,000	136	72	0	14	26	4	42,689	3,814	7,415
Hinson's Cross Roads	Col.	1	0	255	22	300,000	175	97	70	38	18	45	46,493	1,950	3,690
Iron Hill	Col.	1	2	176	12	100,000	124	58	0	30	0	5	24,891	1,014	1,214
Lake Waccamaw	Col.	19	27	379	-	360,000	196	78	0	25	39	0	59,397	3,150	5,116
Lennon's Cross Roads	Col.	2	2	253	60	650,000	157	87	98	88	55	38	89,884	11,360	21,859

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Macedonia	Col.	7	0	352	0	175,000	242	82	0	20	0	0	45,598	200	1,930
Mount Zion	Col.	1	1	183	0	130,000	107	43	0	25	39	0	23,061	700	2,481
Nakina	Col.	1	0	73	3	224,198	108	56	48	44	12	0	36,646	731	2,388
New Hope	Col.	13	7	462	75	425,000	259	98	115	66	95	35	85,017	10,911	15,273
Oak Dale	Col.	7	4	221	12	100,000	92	40	0	29	21	17	22,788	717	1,488
Peace	Col.	4	1	88	14	75,000	86	72	0	28	21	20	21,938	500	1,076
Piney Forest	Col.	1	2	126	15	150,000	75	0	28	11	27	0	33,617	2,558	11,742
Pleasant Hill	Col.	2	1	245	15	225,000	159	76	37	22	52	8	36,987	2,861	6,470
Pleasant Plains	Col.														
Porter Swamp	Col.	5	2	264	26	300,000	136	50	60	23	18	0	68,982	950	2,209
Riegelwood	Col.	6	11	368	38	465,000	232	90	0	93	66	76	92,003	9,671	27,650
Smyrna	Col.	0	3	263	30	300,000	157	58	0	41	63	0	54,745	5,785	9,262
Sweet Home	Col.	8	2	275	10	530,000	164	120	146	99	0	0	39,302	75	1,810
Tabor City	Col.	9	17	848	0	1,498,000	400	129	165	270	136	87	394,650	19,845	34,067
Trinity	Col.	14	32	897	190	700,000	703	203	180	142	144	77	200,432	8,699	32,601
Union Chapel	Col.	0	0	114	3	45,000	59	15	0	23	0	0	4,170	25	0
Union Valley	Col.	2	5	213	12	430,000	94	60	0	35	34	12	35,036	1,200	3,127
Western Prong	Col.	2	5	434	75	500,500	265	60	67	27	88	31	86,412	7,425	15,489
Westside	Col.	7	10	155	50	130,000	134	60	64	25	28	25	44,666	1,200	3,197
White Marsh	Col.	3	5	272	11	200,000	137	60	0	50	62	0	36,375	204	3,200
Whiteville First	Col.	7	16	864	-	2,600,000	481	0	0	75	168	49	267,161	43,940	64,333
Whiteville West	Col.	3	0	170	13	225,000	50	52	1	22	10	0	16,800	116	388
Williamson's X Rds.	Col.	0	0	214	0	150,000	66	43	0	31	0	0	29,000	2,200	11,389

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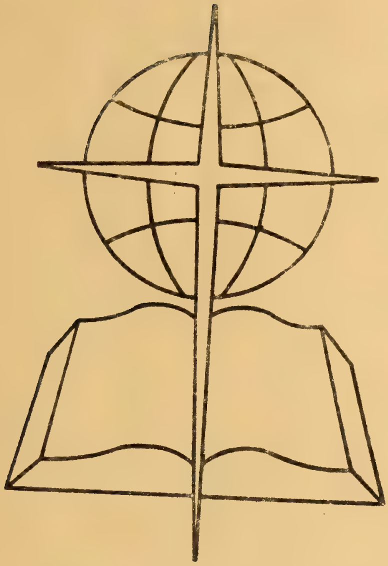

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CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

PREAMBLE

We, the messengers of Baptist Churches of Columbus County, do hereby propose to establish and maintain the order and rules of a District Association in conformity to the following plan:

ARTICLE I. NAME

This organization shall be known as the Columbus Baptist Association.

ARTICLE II. OBJECTIVES

The objectives of the Association shall be to elicit, combine, and direct the energies of Columbus Baptists in advancing the Redeemer's Kingdom throughout the earth, more especially along the lines recommended and adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention, the North Carolina Baptist State Convention, and the Association itself, to promote the fellowship and good will among the Churches; and to devise and promote measures for increasing the harmony, intelligence and spiritual powers of the churches.

ARTICLE III. MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. This Association shall be composed of regularly constituted Baptist Churches in Columbus County that shall be represented as its regular or special meetings by duly elected messengers in the following ratio: (1) Three (3) for the first one hundred members or fraction thereof, and one for each fifty (50) additional members, but provided that no church may have more than ten (10) messengers. (2) All ordained ministers who are serving as pastor within the Association, Associational Officers and Committee members.

Section 2. Messengers shall be members in good standing with the church they represent, and their names must appear on the letter from their church to the Association to entitle them to be seated as messengers.

Section 3. The Association shall be sole judge of its membership, and may reject or receive churches applying for membership therein at its pleasure, provided that the churches so received shall come under the watchcare of the Association for a period of one year. During this period such church or churches shall be entitled to all the rights and privileges of the Association except that of their members voting or holding office. At the conclusion of this period, should no valid objection be raised, they become members in regular standing by action of the Association.

Section 4. The Association shall encourage the organizing of new Baptist Churches within Columbus County under the leadership of any pastor, Church, Churches, or interested persons of the Association. If a new church contemplates being received into the fellowship of the Association after its organization, those who are to compose its charter membership and those leading in its organization are urged to seek the counsel of the Executive Promotion Committee and shall proceed with the organization only after approval is given.

Section 5. A Church seeking admission into the Association shall present its application to the Credentials Committee and furnish the Committee with such information as it may require about the Church. The Committee may then recommend that such Church be received under the watchcare of the Association for the period of one year from the date of that Associational Meeting.

Section 6. The Association may, at any time, dissolve connection with any church that becomes disorderly in practice or that fails to represent itself either by messengers or letter for two (2) consecutive sessions without sufficient reason or that ceases to be missionary in practice. The support of the causes fostered by the denomination at large and of this Association in particular shall be the test of each church as a missionary body.

Section 7. The New Testament shall be accepted as the sole guide in matters of doctrine and practice, and the Association shall reserve the right to withdraw fellowship from any church that does not conform thereto.

ARTICLE IV. POWERS AND PREROGATIVES

The Association shall have no power whatsoever to infringe upon the right of the churches. It may advise or recommend matters to usefulness for their adoption and guidance but cannot bind them in any way. All the churches constituting the Association remain sovereign and independent bodies and unite only that they may more effectively promote the causes of Christ throughout the world.

ARTICLE V. DUTIES OF CHURCHES

It shall be the duty of each church to appoint messengers, to insist upon their attendance at Associational Meetings, to contribute toward the expense of the Association, and to send annually a report to the Association which gives information requested in forms provided by the Associational Clerk.

ARTICLE VI. ORGANIZATION

Section 1. The General Officers shall be a Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian and Three (3) Trustees.

Section 2. Additional Officers shall be the Associational Director of Sunday School, Church Training Director, W.M.U. Director, Brotherhood Director, Music Directo, Library Director, Chairman of Evangelism, and others as needed including a full slate of organizational officers as recommended by the Educational Division of the Baptist Sunday School Board.

Section 3. The Nominating Committee shall recommend the officers to the Association. However, the Association reserves the right to make other nominations for any and all offices and committees.

Section 4. The offices of Clerk and Treasurer may be held by the same peson.

Section 5. The General Officers and additional officers as specified in Section 2 of this Article shall be elected at the Spring Session and shall be installed and assume their duties at the close of the Fall Session of the current year and continue their duties until the successors are installed at the next Fall Session unless removed for cause, or until their successors are appointed.

Section 6. The term of office for Moderator and Vice-Moderator shall not exceed two (2) years in succession. All other officers may be re-elected to succeed themselves in office at the pleasure of the Association.

Section 7. All officers and committees shall be members of the churches affiliated with the Association.

Section 8. The term of office for all members of committees shall be for three (3) years. One third of the members shall be elected annually.

Section 9. Vacancies in these offices or committees that may occur between the Annual Sessions of the Association shall be filled for the remainder of the Associational year by the Executive Promotion Committee.

ARTICLE VII. DUTIES OF OFFICERS

Section 1. It shall be the duty of the Moderator to preside when the Association is in session and serve as Chairman of the Executive Promotion Committee. The Moderator shall also appoint a five (5) member Committee on Committees within ten (10) days after the Annual Meeting of the Association.

Section 2. It shall be the duty of the Vice-Moderator to preside in the absence of the Moderator and to assist him in every way possible and to succeed to the office of Moderator if and when during his tenure the office of Moderator becomes vacant.

Section 3. It shall be the duty of the Clerk to keep an accurate record of the meetings of the Association and prepare minutes to be distributed as soon thereafter as possible. He/she shall serve as secretary of the Executive Promotion Committee.

Section 4. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to keep an accurate record of the money paid into his hands, pay all bills as they become due and to make an annual report to the Association. He/she shall make a written report of the financial condition to the Associational Council and provide written reports to the Executive Promotion Committee when requested. He/she shall make a monthly report to the Associational office. He/she shall be a member of the Finance Committee.

Section 5. It shall be the duty of the Historian to collect minutes of each session of the Association and have these bound into book form every ten (10) years and to assist in any way possible in keeping records of the history of the Association. He/she shall submit a short history of two (2) different churches at each Annual Meeting to be incorporated into the Associational minutes each year until all churches have a written history in the minutes. The churches shall be taken in alphabetical order. Any new church shall be put at the bottom of the list.

Section 6. It shall be the duty of the Associational Director of Sunday School, Church Training Director, W.M.U. Director, Music Director, Brotherhood Director and Library Director to lead in the promotion of the activities of the organization of which he/she is head, and to preside over the meetings of the organization. These offices shall bring a report of their work to each quarterly meeting of the Associational Council.

Section 7. It shall be the duty of the Trustees to hold in trust all property of the Association.

Section 8. All reports, both Associational and Denominational, shall not exceed three hundred (300) words except the Treasurer's Report and the Director of Missions.

ARTICLE VIII. RULES OF ORDER

Section 1. All business shall be conducted and all discussions carried on in the manner prescribed in "Roberts' Rules of Order Revised".

Section 2. The method of voting shall be by show of hands or by the will of the body.

Section 3. The simple majority shall prevail in all cases except as otherwise provided in this Constitution, provided that any member may at any time call for a written ballot or roll call of doubtful issues.

Section 4. A ruling by the presiding officer shall be final unless appeal be had from such ruling to the entire body present.

Section 5. A question having been decided twice by vote in the same attitude at a regular session of the Association shall not be introduced again except by consent of the body as expressed by a majority vote.

Section 6. A least one-fifth of the messengers enrolled shall be necessary to constitute a quorum.

ARTICLE IX. TIME OF MEETING

Section 1. The Association shall hold its annual meeting on Tuesday before the 4th Sunday in October and a Spring Inspirational Meeting on Tuesday before the 4th Sunday in April. However, in the case of some unavoidable circumstances that makes a change in the date of the annual meeting necessary, either the Associational Council or the Executive Promotion Committee, preferably the Executive Promotion Committee, shall have the authority to change said date provided at least two (2) weeks in advance of the new date for the annual meeting.

Section 2. In the event of some emergency that makes a called meeting of the Association necessary, either the Associational Council or the Executive Promotion Committee shall have the authority to call for a sepcial meeting of the Association, provided that a notice of the time and place and purpose of such a called meeting shall be mailed to the Pastors and Clerks of the Churches of the Association at least two (2) weeks in advance of the time set for the called meeting.

ARTICLE X. THE ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR

Section 1. The Associational year shall begin the first of October and close the last day of the following September.

ARTICLE XI. THE EXECUTIVE PROMOTION COMMITTEE

Section 1. The Executive Promotion Committee shall be composed of the Pastor of each church in the Association, the two (2) members (either men or women) represented by each church in the Association on the church letter, and the following Associational officers: Associational Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, W.M.U. Director, Brotherhood Director, Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian, Music Director, Library Director, and Chairmen of all standing committees.

Section 2. It shall act for the Association in the interim between the annual sessions.

Section 3. The duty of this committee shall be to carry out the policies and will of the Association. It shall not take any action contravening the will of the Association; nor shall it initiate any new policies or practices binding on the Association unless specificially directed, provided: That in an adequate emergency it may take such action as it may deem necessary, but such action shall in every case be submitted to the next meeting of the

Association for appropriate consideration. It shall make a full and complete report of its activities at the next Associational Meeting. It shall meet quarterly and as often thereafter as is necessary to carry out the policies and will of the Association. A meeting of this committee may be called at any time by the chairman, and it shall be his duty to call a meeting upon the request of any five (5) members of this committee.

ARTICLE XII. ASSOCIATIONAL COUNCIL

Section 1. The Association shall have an Associational Council composed of the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Church Training Director, Sunday School Director, W.M.U. Director, Brotherhood Director, Music Director, Library Director, Chairman of Finance, Evangelism, Missions Committee and Pastor/Staff Self Enrichment Committee of the Pastors' Conference. The representative shall be selected by the Pastors' Conference.

Section 2. The Vice-Moderator shall be chairman of this Council.

Section 3. This Council shall counsel and advise any committee or church in the Columbus Baptist Association on any subject which has been submitted to it.

Section 4. This Council shall meet prior to the regular meeting of the Executive Promotion Committee. The chairman of this Council shall bring to each of the Executive Promotion Committee a report of its work.

Section 5. This Council is responsible for the supervision of the work of the Director of Missions and shall study carefully the program of work for the entire Association and the needs of all the churches. In the light of this study, the Council shall work out an annual Calendar of Activities for the Association to be presented to the Executive Promotion Committee, to run concurrently with the Calendar Year.

ARTICLE XIII. STANDING COMMITTEES AND DUTIES

Section 1. Committee on Committees - This Committee shall be composed of five (5) members which said members shall come from different churches within the Association.

(a) It shall be the duty of this Committee to be present at the annual meeting of the Association when called upon by the Moderator, a nomination for the membership of all standing committees of the Association unless otherwise provided in this Constitution.

Section 2. Nominating Committee - The Nominating Committee shall be composed of at least five (5) members. The Nominating Committee shall nominate all officers proposed by the Constitution. After they are nominated the Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, W.M.U. Director, Music Director, Baptist Men's Director and Librarian shall enlist and propose a full slate of organizational leaders to the Nominating Committee. After the Nominating Committee makes its report to the Association, other nominations shall be in order from the floor.

Section 3. Program Committee - The duty of this Committee is to plan the program for the annual meeting of the Association and bring it to the Executive Promotion Committee for discussion and approval. The Committee should begin its work well in advance of the meeting of the Association and should make sure that those requested to make reports are prepared and on hand. Copies of the program should be prepared and distributed to the messengers and visitors at the Associational Meeting.

Section 4. Finance Committee - This Committee should keep a close watch on the needs of the Association for an adequate budget and for a well-balanced program of work and should be prepared to bring to the Association in Annual Session a proposed budget. This Committee should also be prepared to advise the Treasurer of the Association during the year concerning the items in the budget to the end that the Association may be kept in a healthy financial condition. It shall be the duty of the Committee to see that an audit of the Treasurer's books be made following the close of the Associational Year and presented to each Annual Meeting of the Association.

Section 5. Credentials Committee -

a. It shall be the work of this Committee to make proper investigation of churches that express a desire to affiliate with the Association concerning their being orthodox in faith and cooperative in spirit, to report to the Association in Annual Session their findings and recommendations concerning the acceptance or rejection of such churches.

b. If invited this Committee shall go to any church for the purpose of edifying Christian fellowship.

Section 6. Committee on Ordination.

a. This Committee shall consist of three (3) ordained ministers presently serving as pastors in the Association and two (2) ordained deacons.

b. This Committee shall serve only in an advisory capacity and, when invited by a church in the Association, shall assist in the examination, preparation and ordination of candidates for the Gospel Ministry.

Section 7. Committee on Evangelism - This Committee should seek to keep alive the fires of evangelism in all the meetings of all the organizations of the Association, encourage evangelistic services in churches not reporting baptism and help provide evangelistic services in unchurched sections within the bounds of the Association, to organize and promote the Simultaneous Revivals, and to promote any County-wide Evangelistic services. This Committee shall be organized in accordance with the suggested Southern Baptist Program of Evangelism.

Section 8. Missions Committee - This Committee shall keep alert to any development that may make a new church or branch Sunday School necessary, counsel with group considering a new church or branch Sunday School about the necessity of such organizations, assist in organizing new churches, seek to encourage the best location possible when new churches are formed. This Committee shall also, when invited by the Vacation Bible School Director or the Director of Missions, assist in promoting and maintaining Vacation Bible School wherever needed in the Association. It shall encourage pastorless, part-time churches to form fields with pastors located as near the center as possible, assist churches when called upon or when there is an evident need, when such is welcomed, to find most suitable pastors, and to serve as a contact for worthy men desiring to become pastors.

Section 9. Committee on Denominational Agencies - This Committee shall consist of one person representing each of the following: Cooperative Program, Baptist Hospital, Children's Homes, Denominational Literature, Homes for the Aging, Baptist Colleges, Ministers' Retirement, and any other cause, agency or institution deemed advisable. It shall be the responsibility of each of these to see that the interests of these causes and agencies are kept before the Association and churches at all times, and that proper report concerning the progress and needs of these causes and agencies are presented to the Associational Meetings.

Section 10. Committee on Libraries - It shall be the duty of this Committee to plan and promote church library work in the Association. It should encourage each church without a library to start one, and help in stabilizing those already in operation. The Committee should assist churches in starting their libraries and help them in organizing their library committee. The Committee should also plan and promote a program of training for all church librarians.

Section 11. Constitutional Committee - It shall be the duty of the Committee to study the Constitution of our Association and to recommend to the Association at its Annual Session such changes, amendments or revisions as may be deemed necessary and appropriate in accordance with the needs of the Columbus Baptist Association.

Section 12. Resolutions Committee - It shall be the duty of this Committee to prepare and present to the Association at its Annual Session such resolutions and other reports as may be appropriate and in order for consideration by the Association.

Section 13. Time, Place and Preacher Committee - It shall be the duty of this Committee to plan and prepare for the sessions of the Columbus Baptist Association and to secure a preacher and alternate for the Fall Session and to do such other acts and things as may be necessary to provide the proper facilities for such Annual Meetings of the Columbus Baptist Association.

Section 14. Christian Social Ministries - The work of this Committee is to create an awareness in the Baptist churches of Columbus Baptist Association of the teachings and ministries of Jesus Christ in attempting to meet the needs of the total person in light of the Gospel. Workshops will be held to point out needs of persons and possible ways in which we may become involved to meet those needs.

Section 15. Christian Life Council - The work of the Christian Life Council is to be alert and call to the attention any encroachment upon our religious freedom. Working through its chairman it shall report at each Executive Promotion Committee meeting any matter that appears to be in contradiction to our belief.

Section 16. Deacon Representative - The Deacon Representative shall be responsible for seeing that at least one training session (workshop or retreat) shall be conducted for deacons from across the Association during each Associational Year.

Section 17. Energy Consultant - The Energy Consultant will prepare himself to the extent that he will stand ready to make suggestions on how a church may conserve energy.

ARTICLE XIV. REVISION

This Constitution may be immediately revised at any regular session of the Association by a two-thirds vote of the messengers present provided notice of such revision shall be given in the afternoon session and then voted on in the evening session.

GUIDELINES FOR THE DIRECTOR OF ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS

I. EMPLOYMENT

A. HOW EMPLOYED

1. The Association employs it Director upon the recommendation of the Associational Council and by vote of the Association in the Annual Session or by the Executive Promotion Committee between sessions.

B. TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT

1. The Director is employed for an indefinite period of time. The Association or the Executive Promotion Committee may terminate the service of the Director by vote provided that sixty (60) days notice has been given before services are terminated. The missionary may terminate his services provided sixty (60) days notice is given. By agreement of the Director and the Executive Promotion Committee the sixty (60) days may not be required.
2. Salary for the Director shall be paid as stated in the budget of the Association.
3. Retirement for the Director is provided by the Association by paying an amount equal to 10% of his salary for retirement funds.
4. A housing allowance, a travel allowance, and convention and conference allowances are provided as stated in the budget.
5. The Director is allowed two (2) weeks of vacation time annually to be taken at his discretion. Vacation time may not be accumulated.
6. The Director may hold two (2) weeks of revivals each year, exclusive of vacation time for which he may keep any honorarium given.
7. The Director shall be allowed sick leave with pay for a period of two (2) weeks annually, the total credit thus accumulated not to exceed forty-four (44) business days. Should illness exceed the accumulated sick leave time, the vacation time may be added to cover additional days.
8. The Director will establish and maintain office hours enabling the public to contact him at the prescribed hours.
9. The 'Normal work week will be five (5) days. The Director will arrange with the Associational Council as to his 'days off' and holidays."

II. RELATIONSHIPS

A. TO THE ASSOCIATION

1. The Director is reponsible to the Associational Council as prescribed by Article XII, Section 5 of the Constitution.
2. The Director recognizes the Moderator as the chief officer of the Association and works in close cooperation with him.
3. The Director counsels with the Associational Council in all matters that relate to his work. This Council is responsible in all budget matters that relate to the living provisions and office arrangements of the Director.
4. The Director shall promote the work of the Association cooperating with the churches, their Pastors and Officers, and the Associational Committees and Officers.
5. The Director of Missions shall make a report to the Associational Council and to the Executive Promotion Committee at their meetings.

B. TO THE CHURCHES

1. The Director may work in the churches upon invitation and as he deems wise.

2. The Director works with the churches only through or with full consent of the pastors.

3. The Director counsels with individuals from churches upon their request concerning individual matters or matters of church programs and may give information to these individuals provided he does not assume the role of pastor to the individual or in any way threatens to impair the relationship of the individual to his pastor.

4. The Director leads and guides the Officers of the Association in planning training events and other programs designed to strengthen the work of the Churches. The Churches are free to avail themselves to these opportunities as they will.

C. TO THE DENOMINATION

1. The Director keeps himself informed about the work of the Convention and their Agencies and presents this information to the Pastors, Associational Churches, and individuals as he has opportunity.

2. The Director interprets the work of the denomination in the Association and engages the Churches to support the work of the denomination with prayers, personal lives and finances.

III. THE WORK OF THE DIRECTOR

A. ADMINISTRATION

1. The Director is the chief administrative (promotional) officer of the Association. He carries out the programs of the Association as directed by the Association or the Associational Council.

2. Other employees of the Association are responsible to the Director in all matters in which their work relates to the Association.

3. The Director as chief administrative (promotional) officer is responsible for evaluation of all programs and seeks to counsel with the Association concerning their effectiveness and make proposals as to strengthening or improving the Programs.

B. MISSION WORK

1. In cooperation with the Missions Committee, the Director will seek out places of mission need and seek to enlist an appropriate church to meet these needs.

2. In the event no church can be enlisted to meet these needs, upon the instruction of the Missions Committee, the Director may lead in a program to meet the need in the name of the Association.

C. OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES

1. The Director works in close cooperation with the officers of the Association, lending assistance as needed.

2. The Director is an ex-officio member of all committees of the Association.

D. PROMOTION

1. The Director shall promote the whole program of the Association, the Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention.

E. THE OFFICE

1. The office is maintained by the Association for the use of the Director and the necessary staff.

2. The Director is responsible for the operation of the office with guidance as necessary from the Associational Council.

3. He offers counsel and guidance to other office personnel as needed.

4. He keeps on hand needed free materials for churches and members.

5. He prepares calendars, booklets and letters as needed to carry out the duties of his office.

6. He shall mail out a monthly newsletter.

7. He collects periodicals and materials of value for an Associational library.

8. He purchases and provides suggestions for the purchase of audio-visual equipment and materials for loans to churches.

9. He is the chief public relations officer of the Association both through the church and through the usual communications media.

10. He may add other duties and responsibilities as directed by the Associaton or the Associational Council and Executive Promotion Committee.

GUIDELINES FOR OFFICE ASSISTANT

1. The Association shall employ an Office Assistant who is responsible to the Director of Missions and the Associational Council.
2. The Office Assistant shall be acquainted with the function and operation of each piece of equipment.
3. The Office Assistant shall assign upon request any equipment and check it back into the office noting its condition.
4. The Office Assistant is responsible for the cleanliness of the office building.
5. The Office Assistant may have the privilege of doing work other than the Association's during office hours with the compensation contributed to the Association at the rate per hour of the associational pay scale. The Associational work shall take preference over the outside request.
6. The Office Assistant is to supervise anyone using the equipment in the Associational Office during the prescribed office hours.
7. The Office Assistant shall be granted two (2) weeks of vacation per year.

EXCEPTIONS:

1. Only office personnel shall use the IBM typewriter with memory.

COLUMBUS BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Our Association dates back to 1805 when it was first known as Cape Fear. It existed until 1898. For a long time the Cape Fear Association included churches in Robeson, Columbus, Bladen and Brunswick Counties with some in Pender and a few in South Carolina near the state line.

This was twenty-five (25) years before our Baptist State Convention was organized and sixteen (16) years after George Washington became the first President of the United States.

This southeastern part of North Carolina had been thinly settled, but along about this time a number of families had moved into this section from other parts of this and other states. During the prior half century many Scotch and Irish families had come from Europe and settled along the Cape Fear River and outlying territory.

Religious interest had been rather low in some of this territory and churches were few and far between. A few Methodist churches had been organized and Bishop Asbury made a journey through this section in 1801, organizing some other churches.

Some churches believed in missions and some others said that God would save people in His own way and time. In some churches there were men who held to Calvinistic doctrine and beliefs of the Primitive Baptists.

Settlements and farms in this part of the state were widely scattered. Roads were poor and many of the people had very little education. Yet, people at that time appeared to know their neighbors fairly well although their homes might have been thirty or forty miles away. Their usual manner of travel was on horseback when too far to walk.

The churches that are members of the Columbus Baptist Association today that were members of the original association and the date of their acceptance are listed here: Porter Swamp entered the association in 1830; Iron Hill in 1831; Pleasant Plains in 1836; Mount Tabor (Tabor City) in 1838; Macedonia in 1839; Western Prong in 1843; Cherry Grove in 1846; Pleasant Hill in 1848; White Marsh in 1852, (which is also the oldest church in our association, being established in 1765); Whiteville First in 1863; Sweet Home in 1864; Piney Forest in 1869; Cedar Grove in 1870; Gapway and New Hope in 1874; Bogue Chapel (Hallsboro) and Fair Bluff in 1876; Oak Dale in 1884; China Grove in 1890; and Smyrna in 1892.

During the period between the Civil War and the close of the century there were increases in people, farming, roads and schools. There was more interest in church work and in most communities Sunday Schools were organized. Most of the people were poor and living standards continued low for many years. Public schools were available to most children, but usually for only two or three months per year. Many people were illiterate.

In 1888 the first Columbus Baptist Association was formed from churches withdrawing from the Cape Fear Association. This newly organized association remained in existence until 1898. Many of those still existing churches were members. These churches and the year they were admitted to the Association follows:

In 1888, New Hope, Union Valley and Whiteville First became members. Williamson's Cross Roads joined the association in 1898, followed by Chadbourn and China Grove in 1891. The year 1892 brought many additions as the Cross Roads (Lennon's), Griffin's Cross Roads (Evergreen), Mount Tabor (Tabor City), Macedonia, Oak Dale, Piney Forest, Pleasant Hill and Smyrna were accepted. Then in 1894 Cheerful Hope, Cherry Grove and Porter Swamp became members. This association did not exist but eleven (11) years and so in 1899 the Cape Fear - Columbus Association was formed.

Those charter members were Bogue Chapel (which changed its name to Hallsboro in 1924); Cedar Grove, Cheerful Hope, Cherry Grove, China Grove, Lennon's Cross Roads, Macedonia, Mount Tabor (Tabor City), Mount Zion, New Hope, Oak Dale, Piney Forest, Pleasant Hill, Pleasant Plains, Porter Swamp, Smyrna, Sweet Home, Western Prong, White Marsh, Whiteville First and Williamson's Cross Roads. In 1903 Hinson's Cross Roads became a part, Boardman and Union Chapel in 1904, Corinth in 1905, Fair Bluff in 1908, Cerro Gordo and Evergreen in 1909, New Berlin (which changed its name to Delco in 1923) and Lennon's Cross Roads in 1911, Clarendon in 1915, Bolton in 1918 and Union Valley in 1934. Chadbourn and Gapway became members but no dates were given.

In the period before so many churches left the Cape Fear Association there was always a great interest in the annual meeting. Attendance was usually large and the sessions continued from Wednesday or Thursday until Sunday. Many delegates would attend from long distances, considering their means of travel. When the annual meeting was held near a railroad station some would come by train, but in many cases they came by horse and buggy starting the day before the meeting.

The attendance was large and the people started weeks ahead in preparing for the great number of visitors they expected. It took quite a number oj pigs and chickens to feed so many. Many of the homes took more guests than they could take care of, but they were glad to have the privilege of entertaining the folds from other churches. Many times the church building would not hold half the crowd and overflow services were held under the trees in the church yard. Many who attended the association were greatly interested in religious services, of course, but the social features were ad added attraction. Many of the churches complained if they could not have the associational meeting with their church every few years.

In 1936 the Columbus Baptist Association was formed with the following charter members: Antioch, Boardman, Bolton, Cedar Grove, Cerro Gordo, Chadbourn, Cheerful Hope, Cherry Grove, China Grove, Clarendon, Corinth, Delco, Evergreen, Fair Bluff, Gapway, Hallsboro, Hinson's Cross Roads, Lennon's Cross Roads, Macedonia, Mount Tabor (Tabor City), Mount Zion, New Hope, Oak Dale, Piney Forest, Pleasant Hill, Pleasant Plains, Porter Swamp, Smyrna, Union Valley, Waccamaw (Lake Waccamaw), Western Prong, White Marsh, Whiteville First and Williamson's Cross Roads.

These were followed by Sweet Home in 1940 and Union Chapel in 1941.

In 1949 we saw more interest in the denominational work, such as missions, orphanages, and education than was shown generations before.

Churches have continued to be admitted through the years. These included Iron Hill in 1950.

John T. Biddle came to serve as Superintendent of Missions on July 1, 1950.

Calvary became a part in 1951, Brunswick in 1952, Riegelwood in 1953, Forest Lawn in 1955 and Trinity in 1956.

Mr. Biddle resigned as Superintendent of Missions on June 18, 1956.

West Whiteville became a part in 1959.

Henry Powell became Superintendent of Missions on February 15, 1959 and served until July 15, 1961.

He was followed by Arch Cree who served from May 1, 1962 until June 1, 1967.

William Ross came to us on July 6, 1967.

In 1967 Cedar Grove completed a new brick structure, Antioch held its first Homecoming and Trinity began its prison Sunday School ministry.

In 1968 Whiteville First erected a library in February, and Macedonia was offered land for a parking lot on April 14. Also in this year, Oak Dale had land given in May, Sweet Home erected a new educational building and fellowship hall and Antioch observed its Golden Anniversary.

The year 1969 brought about the installation of air conditioning at Antioch and on October 19 Westside held a ground breaking for a new building. On October 26 Trinity held a ground breaking for a new sanctuary.

The happenings of 1970 included a note burning on June 13 for Brunswick.

Our Superintendent of Missions, Mr. Ross, resigned July 1, 1970.

We were fortunate in securing Hoyle Langford to become our Superintendent on August 15, 1970.

On August 31 Westside was constituted and became a member of the association. September 30 was the dedication date at Trinity for their sanctuary. November 22 brought the ground breaking services for Oak Dale's new sanctuary and on December 6 Clarendon held a ground breaking for its present building.

In 1971 Faith was organized and became a member of the association, as well as Friendly Chapel.

The year 1971 was a giant stepping stone in the life of Columbus Baptist Association. Property and a house was bought for the associational office at 208 South Thompson Street, Whiteville at a cost of $10,000. Sepcial cash gifts were received from Mount Zion, Union Valley, Pleasant Plains, Cherry Grove RA's, Marse Grant, Miss Lena Hughes and an anonymous donor.

The following items were donated: an occasional chair was given by J. A. Applewhite, drapes for the reception room and office were given by the Trinity WMU, drapes for the conference room were given by New Hope; chairs for the conference room were given by Tabor City. The office desk was given by Whiteville First and a plant was given by Earl Edmunds.

Special services were given by Jack Hooks for legal work and S. P. Stanley gave the appraisal of property.

Those serving as trustees were Arthur Prince of Tabor City, Winfred Richardson of Fair Bluff and Cecil Stanley of Forest Lawn.

The following donated their time in remodeling the building. Gene Ezzell, Carl Hooks, Richard Skipper and Dave Norris of Trinity; Delma Ezzell, Duval Norris, Nathan Lee, Memory Evans, Larry Ezzell and Charles Blackmon of Brunswick; Grover Vaughan and James Leary of Faith; Ed Worley, Jimmy Lanehart and Martin Benton of Western Prong; Paul Johnson of Hallsboro, Walter Rhodes of Pleasant Hill and Colon Ezzell of Pleasant Plains.

When Open House was held, refreshments were served by the WMU Council.

Prior to the purchase of this building, the associational office was located in the home of the Superintendent of Missions at 419 South Franklin Street, Whiteville. The office was relocated in March, 1971.

Also happenings in the association was the first service held in its new building at Oak Dale on June 27. Trinity opened a day care center on August 28. On December 12 Oak Dale held a cornerstone laying service.

In 1972 many things continued to happen in the churches. Sweet Home built a sanctuary and Clarendon dedicated its new building which was debt free in seven years. In April Pleasant Hill held its first service in its present sanctuary and Brunswick purchased land for a parsonage. In November Brunswick also purchased an organ and a public address system.

The year 1973 brought about the dedication of the educational building and note burning for Western Prong on January 28. Macedonia had a deed given on November 22 for land to be used as a fellowship hall. During the year Pleasant Hill was debt free of its sanctuary and Sweet Home purchased an organ and piano.

On November 17, 1974, Oak Dale held a note burning for its sanctuary. In November New Hope held a Centennial Program. The characters were descendents of charter members.

In 1975 the association gained another giant step forward. After returning from a mission trip to Ecuador, the Superintendent of Missions shared his vision of a special need there. A goal of $2,500 was set to

raise funds from our association to purchase a church lot there. This goal was surpassed by $1,000. Those churches participating in this mission endeavor included Bolton, Cedar Grove, Chadbourn, Cherry Grove, China Grove, Lake Waccamaw, Mount Zion, New Hope, Oak Dale, Piney Forest, Pleasant Hill, Pleasant Plains, Porter Swamp, Riegelwood, Sweet Home, Tabor City, Trinity, Western Prong, Westside, Whiteville First, West Whiteville and Williamson's Cross Roads.

Also in 1975, $1,500 was given for remodeling the associational office.

Happenings in the churches included a tract of land given to Iron Hill, West Whiteville's completed sanctuary and Antioch purchased a new piano. In April Cerro Gordo's parsonage was completed and on November 26 Porter Swamp held dedication services for its new fellowship hall. On December 6 land was given to Macedonia for a new educational building. December 7 brought about the ordination of Neil J. Harrelson by Brunswick.

In 1976 the association voted to change from a two (2) day meeting in the Fall to one day in the Spring for inspiration and one in the Fall for taking care of business. The association was also debt free of the purchase of the associational building.

Happenings in the churches during this year included the educational building for Macedonia being completed, Western Prong remodeled its sanctuary, West Whiteville erected a steeple and Pleasant Hill purchased a new Baldwin piano. On June 6 Whiteville First dedicated its pipe organ. On August 26 Westside's educational building was debt free. In September Smyrna purchased land for an educational building and Trinity sold their parsonage. In October Antioch dedicated its new educational building and on October 23 ground breaking services were held for new facilities at Bolton. December 26 saw Westside's parsonage debt free.

The year 1977 brought changes within the associational leadership. A World Missions Conference was held in February. Mr. Langford resigned April 30.

Among the churches, Delco decided to become full-time and build a parsonage, White Marsh's pews were covered, Williamson's Cross Roads' fellowship hall was built, Sweet Home constructed a new educational building, Riegelwood began a Senior Citizens group and Cherry Grove had the honor of ordaining Elmore Strickland to the Gospel Ministry. In May Pleasant Hill installed central air. August brought the re-location of Calvary and the building of its educational building.

On August 17 Walter Jones became Director of Missions for our association.

November 8 was an important day in the life of Clarendon Baptist Church when a note burning service was held. Also during the year an addition was built on the church. November 22 was the day Bolton held its first services in its new building.

The year 1978 was filled with growth among the churches. Porter Swamp had a facial uplift, added padded pews and wainscoting. Sweet Home added

a paved parking lot and Cerro Gordo purchased a new organ. Bolton dedicated its new building on January 8 and sold the old building on March 18. Trinity held dedication services for its new sign on March 15. In June Brunswick sold its parsonage and the church exceeded its budget for the year over $16,000. In August Thomas and Kim Hinton of Trinity were off to Tanzania, East Africa as journeymen for two years. Antioch held ground breaking services for its sanctuary on September 4. Faith dedicated their building on October 1 they had purchased from Calvary. At the October annual meeting Nakina was accepted into membership of the association.

The year 1979 held its important events also. Hinson's Cross Roads remodeled its nursery and painted its church and parsonage, White Marsh purchased a new organ, Whiteville First covered their pews and a memorial garden was established, Pleasant Hill installed new carpet in the sanctuary, while Lennon's Cross Roads completed its fellowship hall and Pleasant Plains dedicated a church library. March brought the completion of the Delco parsonage. On July 17 Bolton's steeple was erected and November 25 saw the ordaining of Dennis Phillips, Minister of Music, at Whiteville First, to the Gospel Ministry. At the annual associational meeting in October Peace was accepted into our fellowship.

The year 1980 was filled with events in the churches. The association employed its first full-time office assistant. She was Wanda Thompson Horton. Events occuring included Chadbourn paying off an indebtedness of property, Faith installed heating and air as well as new lighting. Trinity purchased a new piano, Union Valley began a ministry to shutins, Westside bricked its building, White Marsh made improvements to its parsonage, Cerro Gordo dedicated a new brass Bible stand and candlesticks as well as several men from Trinity being recognized by Governor Hunt for their prison Sunday School ministry.

January 6 brought happiness to New Hope when it broke ground for its new educational building. Also on January 6 Antioch held its first services in its new building.

January brought sadness to the Tabor City church when it was destroyed by fire. They did not sit still though and immediately began to remodel the old parsonage for the purpose of using it for offices. New construction of the educational building was begun soon.

In February Nakina purchased land for a new building. March brought to Delco its first full-time pastor, Dr. George N. Knight. On March 16 Antioch held dedication services for its new sanctuary.

Delco held a note burning service on June 29 for its new parsonage. Calvary's sanctuary was completed in October and Peace held dedication services November 9 for its new building. New Hope held dedication services for its new educational building on November 2.

In 1981 things were continuing to prosper all over the association. A special committee was formed to look into the future needs of our association.

A most impressive World Missions Conference was held February 22 - 29 with twenty-five (25) churches participating. They included Brunswick, Cerro Gordo, Chadbourn, Cheerful Hope, Cherry Grove, China Grove, Clarendon,

Corinth, Delco, Evergreen, Fair Bluff, Hinson's Cross Roads, Lake Waccamaw, Mount Zion, New Hope, Piney Forest, Pleasant Hill, Pleasant Plains, Riegelwood, Smyrna, Sweet Home, Tabor City, Trinity, Western Prong, and Whiteville First. The foreign missionaries included Robert Williams (Honduras), Mrs. Clarence (Ruth) Griffin (Indonesia), Doug Bryant (Ghana), Marvin Reynolds, (Botswana) and James Crittendon (Phillipines). The home missionaries were Ray Slaughter and Herbert Slaughter of West Virginia, Clyde Risen and Eugene Warrick of New Jersey and Terrell Moore of Ohio. Our state missionaries came from Baptist Hosptial who sent Calvin Knight, Neal Peyton who works with our deaf and E. C. (Cleve) Wilkie who is coordinator of our cooperative effort with the West Virginia convention to build 200 churches by 1985.

Also Delco began the Deacon Ministry Plan, Union Chapel compelted a new fellowship hall, bricked the church and added air and central heat, as well as a new vestibule. Union Valley began construction of a fellowship hall, White Marsh was happy to be debt free and West Whiteville covered their pews. On February 23 Williamson's Cross Roads organized WMU in their church. In the early morning hours of April 23 Cedar Grove lost its building to fire.

July brought a vision not experienced before when Riegelwood Church enlisted sixty-six (66) people to spend the week of July 13 - 17 in Kingwood, West Virginia constructing a church building, taking religious censuses and conducting Backyard Bible Clubs. This enthusiasm has certainly been caught up in the association and it is hoped that the summer of 1982 (July 12 - 16), will lead some 200 people to this vision also to participating in completing this building and minister in more ways. Members of several other churches participated in this mission endeavor. Their testimonies are over-whelming of what God did through them while they were there.

On September 20 dedication services were held for the new educational building at Tabor City. At the annual meeting in October a flag was commissioned to fly at the State Convention in November. This was designed by Dr. George N. Knight and made by Mrs. Dora Adams.

At the present time the association has six (6) Seminary Extension centers across the county with one being conducted in the local prison. Also serving in a prison capacity are three men (Charles Simmons, Bobby Fields and Carl Hooks) who rotate conducting worship services there on Sunday morning.

The lake ministry has proven very successful in that worship services are held each Sunday morning at Dupree Landing for the campers at Lake Waccamaw. Mrs. Sally Council has been so gracious as to let us use her facilities for many years.

There are over one hundred twenty-five (125) tutors and over two hundred (200) students have been taught to read and write since literacy work began. Mrs. Ruth Whitley leads this very important part of the missions endeavors.

Some of the most efficient and time-saving machiney the associational office has purchased in recent years have been a video machine and camera, tape duplicator, electric stenciler, new IBM typewriter with a memory bank and a calculator.

Our grand total membership now is 13,441, resident members are 9,934, Sunday School enrollment is 7,951, Church Training enrollment is 1,298, Brotherhood enrollment is 853, and the total on-going WMU enrollment is 1,857. Our budget for 1981-82 totaled $49,091. Our expenditures for 1980-81 totaled $47,365.14. The recorded values of church properties totaled $13,475,193. These figures were taken from the 1981 annual minutes.

Many of the facts used in preparing this history came from minutes of the Cape Fear-Columbus and Columbus Baptist Associational minutes from 1933, the history compiled in 1967, the Baptist Historical Collection at Wake Forest University, Winston Salem, associational church letters and church histories submitted from each church.

We are looking to 1982 and the future years for greater things to be accomplished through the Lord in our association, in our churches and in our individual lives.

We owe a debt of gratitude to those who have served us in our past years. Words are not adequate to say "thank you." As leaders of the future are growing in Christ daily, we covet your prayers that great visions of mission work continue to be shown us and that we might always be in our Saviour's will.

In 1982 the Association saw the following events happen within the Churches. At Brunswick a shelter and driveway were added as well as the dedication of their baptistry. Cerro Gordo celebrated their 75th anniversary, Nakina completed their fellowship hall and educational building in March, Porter Swamp received a gift of $10,000 for upkeep of the church cemetery, and the Tabor City Youth Choir won first place at the World's Fair in Knoxville, Tennessee in the Choral Festival.

In 1983 Bolton completed its parsonage, Brunswick added a steeple, Cedar Grove held dedication services for their new facilities on May 29, Delco held ground breaking services for an educational building and fellowship hall, Lennon's Cross Roads licensed Gene L. Hickman, Jr., to the Gospel Ministry on August 14, Oak Dale celebrated it 100th anniversary on September 25, Tabor City began construction of their sanctuary, Union Valley paved its parking lot, Western Prong remodeled its basement and ordained Tommy Fields to the Gospel Ministry on August 28, and Whiteville First did a face-lift of their sancatuary.

HISTORICAL TABLE OF ASSOCIATIONAL CONFERENCES

Year	Place	Moderator	Clerk	Sermon
1805	Saddle Tree	Abraham Baker	Samuel Buxton	
1806	Bear Marsh	Abraham Baker	Samuel Buxton	Job Goodman
1807	Seven Miles	Francis Oliver	Samuel Buxton	Job Thigpen
1808	Moore's Creek	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	Job Thigpen
1809	Chapel Run	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	Ezekiel Bryant
1810	Cape Fear	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	
1811	Nahungo	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	Job Goodman
1812	Ashpole	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	J. A. Ronaldson
1813	Thunder Swamp	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	William Wells
1814	Muddy Creek	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	Job Goodman
1815	Beulah	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	
1816	Bultail	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	Jacob Williams
1817	Ashpole	Job Goodman	Samuel Buxton	Isaac Etheridge
1818	Limestone	Job Goodman	Allen Morris	David Thames
1819	Thunder Swamp	Job Goodman	Allen Morris	Job Goodman
1820	Nahungo	Job Goodman	Allen Morris	John Gornto
1821	Riley's Creek	Job Goodman	Allen Morris	Job Goodman
1822	Southwest	Job Goodman	Allen Morris	S. Reaves
1823	Bultail	George Fennel	A. Morris	A. Morris
1824	Cedar Creek	George Fennel	A. Morris	
1825	Bear Marsh	George Fennel	A. Morris	Jesse Rogers
1826	Saddle Tree	Job Goodman	A. Morris	A. Morris
1827	Ashpole	Job Goodman	Jas. McDaniel	
1828	Porter Swamp	Job Goodman	Jas. McDaniel	
1829	Saw Mill	Job Goodman	Jas. McDaniel	
1830	Saddle Tree	Job Goodman	Jas. McDaniel	
1831	Ashpole	Job Goodman	L. R. Simmons	
1832	Cross Roads	Solomon Reaves	L. R. Simmons	
1833	Bear Swamp	Chas. McAlister	Jas. McDaniel	
1834	Cape Fear	Chas. McAlister	Jas. McDaniel	
1835	Ebenezer	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	Robt. McNabb
1836	Fair Bluff	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	William Ayers
1837	Ashpole	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	Adel King
1838	Bear Swamp	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	David Thames
1839	Pleasant Grove	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	Elias Davis
1840	Cross Roads	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	J. F. McCall
1841	Seven Creeks	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	H. Lennon
1842	Beaver Dam	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	William Ayers
1843	Macedonia	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	J. C. Averitte
1844	Ashpole	Samuel Mims	Haynes Lennon	Furney Prevatt
1845	Bear Swamp		Haynes Lennon	Adel King
1846	Porter Swamp	John Smith	Haynes Lennon	F. Prevatt
1847	Cape Fear	John Smith	Haynes Lennon	W. Ayers
1848	Western Prong	John Smith	Haynes Lennon	Elias Davis
1849	Big Branch	John Smith	R. McDaniel	Z. Bullock
1850	Bear Swamp	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	William Ayers
1851	Cedar Creek	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	Elias Davis
1852	Back Swamp	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	F. Prevatt
1853	White Marsh	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	G. W. Hill

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1854	Spg. Branch (S.C.)	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	J. H. Cobb
1855	Big Branch	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	H. Lennon
1856	Cape Fear	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	F. Prevatt
1857	Cross Roads	Haynes Lennon	Ben Freeman	H. Lennon
1858	Ashpole	Haynes Lennon	Ben Freeman	D. B. Ayers
1859	Western Prong	Haynes Lennon	Ben Freeman	G. W. Hill
1860	Porter Swamp	Haynes Lennon	Ben Freeman	
1861	Antioch	Haynes Lennon	Ben Freeman	
1862	Pleasant Grove	Haynes Lennon	G. W. Hill	
1863	Cross Roads	Haynes Lennon	G. W. Hill	D. N. Gore
1864	Back Swamp	Furney Prevatt	G. W. Hill	R. W. Norton
1865	Bear Swamp (S.C.)	D. B. Ayers	G. W. Hill	R. W. Norton
1866	Ashpole	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	G. W. Hill
1867	Pleasant Hill	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	A. R. Pittman
1868	Mount Zion	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	E. D. Johnson
1869	Lumberton	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	D. N. Gore
1870	Pleasant Hill	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	H. Lennon
1871	Porter Swamp	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	J. W. Dickson
1872	Western Prong	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	A. R. Pittman
1873	Big Branch	H. Lennon	D. K. Bennett	D. K. Bennett
1874	Back Swamp	H. Lennon	D. K. Bennett	J. W. Dickson
1875	Bear Swamp (S.C.)	H. Lennon	D. K. Bennett	A. R. Pittman
1876	Cross Roads	H. Lennon	D. K. Bennett	D. J. Ray
1877	Mount Eilam	H. Lennon	D. K. Bennett	J. B. Richardson
1878	White Marsh	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	J. W. Dickson
1879	Ashpole	J. W. Dickson	G. W. Hill	T. F. Pritchard
1880	Western Prong	Haynes Lennon	G. W. Hill	J. F. McMillan
1881	Piney Grove (S.C.)	Haynes Lennon	G. W. Hill	J. W. Dickson
1882	Hickory Grove	Haynes Lennon	G. W. Hill	G. McManaway
1883	Mount Zion	E. W. Wooten	J. F. McMillan	
1884	Piney Forest	J. W. Dickson	C. D. Frink	D. J. Ray
1885	Bogue Chapel	J. W. Dickson	G. W. Hill	J. F. McMillan
1886	Abottsburg	E. W. Wooten	G. W. Hill	A. D. Cohen
1887	Mount Pisgah	E. W. Wooten	G. W. Hill	E. W. Wooten
1888	Porter Swamp	E. W. Wooten	S. J. Porter	G. W. Hill
1889	Grittin's Cr. Rds.	E. W. Wooten	A. H. Porter	E. D. Johnson
1890	White Marsh	E. W. Wooten	A. H. Porter	F. F. Wooten
1891	Mount Pisgah	E. W. Wooten	A. H. Porter	A. H. Porter
1892	Shady Grove	E. W. Wooten	A. H. Porter	A. H. Porter
1893	Lebanon	E. W. Wooten	A. H. Porter	A. H. Porter
1894	Western Prong	G. W. Hill	D. H. Cook	G. W. Hill
1895	Shallotte	A. C. Meares	Isaac Jenrette	E. W. Wooten
1896	Mount Sinai	A. C. Meares	Isaac Jenrette	W. S. Ballard
1897	Pleasant Plains	A. C. Meares	Isaac Jenrette	J. A. Mintz
1898	Mount Zion	E. W. Wooten	H. Wyche	J. J. Adams
1899	Bogue Chapel	J. L. Memory	H. Wyche	J. G. Blalock
1900	Spring Branch	J. L. Memory	C. F. Ramsbottom	A. H. Porter
1901	Smyrna	J. L. Memory	A. H. Porter	J. J. Payseur

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1902	Pleasant Plains	W. S. Ballard	A. H. Porter	J. G. Blalock
1903	Mount Zion	W. S. Ballard	A. M. Kelly	F. T. Wooten
1904	Cross Roads	W. S. Ballard	A. M. Kelly	F. T. Wooten
1905	Chadbourn	W. S. Ballard	J. H. Williamson	J. G. Blalock
1906	Livingston Chapel	W. S. Ballard	J. H. Williamson	A. H. Porter
1907	Sweet Home	W. S. Ballard	J. H. Williamson	W. S. Ballard
1908	Bogue Chapel	J. R. Williamson	F. L. Jernigan	F. T. Wooten
1909	Western Prong	J. R. Williamson	A. M. Kelly	S. B. Wilson
1910	Mount Tabor	J. R. Williamson	A. M. Kelly	A. H. Porter
1911	China Grove	W. C. Graham	J. J. Hendren	C. C. Smith
1912	Clarkton	J. R. Williamson	J. J. Hendren	J. M. Page
1913	New Hope	J. R. Williamson	A. M. Kelly	J. H. Poteet
1914	Cheerful Hope	J. R. Williamson	A. M. Kelly	F. T. Wooten
1915	Cerro Gordo	J. R. Williamson	J. J. Hendren	D. P. Bridges
1916	Fair Bluff	J. R. Williamson	J. J. Hendren	C. J. Thompson
1917	Bogue Chapel	R. D. Covington	J. J. Hendren	W. P. Campbell
1918	Whiteville	R. D. Covington	J. J. Hendren	None
1919	Livingston Chapel	R. D. Covington	J. J. Hendren	I. T. Newton
1920	Porter Swamp	A. C. Chaffin	J. J. Hendren	A. C. Chaffin
1921	Macedonia	A. C. Chaffin	J. J. Hendren	W. Y. Quisenbery
1922	Mount Tabor	F. T. Wooten	W. A. Coleman	Hoyle Love
1923	Mount Zion	F. T. Wooten	I. T. Newton	W. B. Avery
1924	Bolton	F. T. Wooten	I. T. Newton	G. Van Stephens
1925	Cherry Grove	F. T. Wooten	J. J. Hendren	R. H. Satterfield
1926	Corinth	F. T. Wooten	J. J. Hendren	J. L. Martin
1927	Whiteville	F. T. Wooten	J. J. Hendren	F. T. Wooten
1928	Sweet Home	F. T. Wooten	Neil Thompson	B. P. Roach
1929	Hinsons' Cr. Rds.	F. T. Wooten	Neil Thompson	C. E. Maddrey
1930	New Hope	I. T. Newton	Neil Thompson	C. M. Pegram
1931	Fair Bluff	I. T. Newton	Neil Thompson	S. N. Lamb
1932	Western Prong	I. T. Newton	Neil Thompson	W. A. Coleman
1933	Hallsboro	I. T. Newton	Neil Thompson	C. V. Brooks
1934	Livingston Chapel	I. T. Newton	C. R. Hinton	R. J. Rasberry
1935	Cherry Grove	I. T. Newton	C. R. Hinton	C. R. Hinton
1936	Cerro Gordo	I. T. Newton	C. R. Hinton	T. S. Lawrence
1937	Mount Tabor	S. N. Lamb	R. B. Mallard	E. N. Johnson
1938	Pleasant Plains	S. N. Lamb	R. B. Mallard	D. G. Myers
1939	Whiteville	S. N. Lamb	R. B. Mallard	I. T. Newton
1940	Hallsboro	S. N. Lamb	R. B. Mallard	E. N. Johnson
1941	Chadbourn	C. N. Lamb	R. B. Rasberry	Winfrey Davis
1942	Evergreen	Winfrey Davis	R. B. Rasberry	G. Carl Lewis
1943	Clarendon	Winfrey Davis	R. B. Rasberry	G. M. Singletary
1944	Lennon's Cr. Rds.	Winfrey Davis	R. B. Rasberry	J. Byron Dosher
1945	Livingston Chapel	Winfrey Davis	R. B. Rasberry	E. Evans Unrich
1946	Hinson's Cr. Rds.	Winfrey Davis	R. B. Rasberry	A. C. Prevatt
1947	Hallsboro	Winfrey Davis	E. Evans Unrich	B. G. Bass
1948	Evergreen	W. K. Beasley	P. C. Grantt	P. C. Melton

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1949	Oak Dale, Smyrna	S. W. Jolly	P. C. Grantt	R. C. Foster
1950	Porter Swamp Cherry Grove	S. W. Jolly	P. C. Grantt	A. P. Stephens
1951	Mt. Tabor, New Hope, Fair Bluff	S. W. Jolly	P. C. Grantt	E. W. Glass
1952	Western Prong, Whiteville, New Hope	P. C. Grantt R. C. Foster	Stanley Howard	
1953	Smyrna, Chabourn, Pleasant Plains	Donald Keyser	B. G. Bass	C. E. Brisson
1954	Oak Dale, White Marsh, Chadbourn	Donald Keyser	P. C. Grantt	I. V. Jones
1955	New Hope, Sweet Home, Iron Hill	P. C. Grantt	Ronald E. Rice	S. W. Jolly
1956	Tabor City, Whiteville, Hallsboro	P. C. Grantt	Ronald E. Rice	Paul O. Batson, Jr.
1957	Western Prong, Piney Forest, Chadbourn	Bill Hooks	Clyde Watson	Ray Harris
1958	Whiteville, Cerro Gordo, Chadbourn	Wyatt Coley	Clyde Watson	S. M. Dorton
1959	Fair Bluff, Cherry Grove, Cerro Gordo	Wyatt Coley	Clyde Watson	Oscar Holland
1960	Evergreen, Waccamaw	S. W. Jolly	Clyde Watson	Eugene Walter
1961	Porter Swamp, Trinity	Billy Hooks	Claude Huggins	D. M. Spell
1952	Tabor City, West Whiteville	Billy Hooks	Claude Huggins	James H. Johnson
1963	New Hope, Riegelwood	J. B. Jones	Arch Cree	Leon Thomas
1964	Hallsboro, Western Prong	J. B. Jones	Arch Cree	E. W. Glass
1965	Chadbourn, White Marsh	Maurice Gilliam	Arch Cree	Francis Chesson
1966	Lennon's Cr. Rds.	Maurice Gilliam	Arch Cree	Wayne Tyner
1967	Brunswick, Hinson's Cr. Rds.	Ben Nesmith, III	J. William Ross	Charles Bullock
1968	Waccamaw, West Whiteville	Ben Nesmith, III	J. William Ross	Grady Cline
1969	Trinity, Fair Bluff	Grady Cline	J. William Ross	William J. Furr

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1970	Cherry Grove, Smyrna	H. B. Whitley	H. E. Langford	D. T. Griffin Russell Cherry
1971	Cedar Grove, Williamson's Cr. Rds.	H. B. Whitley	Mrs. J. C. Todd	Thomas H. Lambert
1972	Cerro Gordo	C. H. Pinner	Mrs. Cecil Gurkin	David J. Solomon
1973	Sweet Home, Forest Lawn	C. H. Pinner	Mrs. Madge Langford	S. C. Davis
1974	Chadbourn, Western Prong	Frank Neville	Mrs. Madge Langford	Hughet Godwin
1975	Tabor City, Evergreen	Frank Neville	R. F. Mickey	Gwen McCormick
1976	Porter Swamp, Riegelwood	Tom Ray	R. F. Mickey	Claire Baker
1977	Whiteville, First Oak Dale	Tom Ray	Mrs. Wanda Horton	Ray Justice
1978	Bolton, Macedonia	Henry Foster	Ms. Wanda Horton	Roy Parker
1979	Hallsboro, White Marsh	Henry Foster	Ms. Wanda Horton	Thad Prevatte
1980	Lennon's Cr. Rds. Hinson's Cr. Rds.	Ed Worley	Ms. Wanda Horton	R. E. Carter
1981	New Hope, Antioch	Ed Worley	Ms. Wanda Horton	Sidney Britt
1982	Calvary, Fair Bluff	J. Wade Fowler	Ms. Wanda Horton	Brancie Stephens
1983	Mount Zion, Williamson's Cr. Rds.	J. Wade Fowler	Ms. Wanda Horton	Larry Knowles
1984	Cherry Grove, Tabor City	Bernard Lennon	Ms. Wanda Horton	Maurice Gilliam

UNION VALLEY

On December 13, 1886 Samuel Bright and his wife, Mary, gave a building site consisting of one acre of land to the Union Valley Baptist Church, but for some reason the plan for the erection of a church building never became a reality at that time.

Through the following years there was an active Sunday School housed in the small one room school which was located on the adjoining land just north of the present building, and where the cemetery is now located. This land was also given by the Brights. The Sunday School always used the Baptist Sunday School literature, and always participated in the activities of the programs promoted by the Baptist churches of this section, one of which was the Columbus Sunday School Institute which was in operation until October, 1954 and which had its annual meeting in October each year. Many, and most, of the people who were responsible for the successful maintenance of the Sunday School through these years have passed away, but it is felt their efforts and prayers were answered when the church was organized and became a reality, which became more apparent in the late 1920's and the early 1930's, when the church had completely outgrown the little one room school building and the need for a place of worship was more acute.

Union Valley Missionary Baptist Church was organized on Thursday, April 13, 1933, after much consultation with the officers of the Association and at their advice. Present at the meeting were I. T. Newton, Moderator of the Association, W. J. Russell, W. A. Coleman, D. B. Stanley and S. N. Lamb, who was Vice-Moderator of the Association. By proper procedure, I. T. Newton was elected to serve as Moderator of the meeting.

After a devotional service a Presbytery was formed consisting of the above mentioned ministers and pastors of the Association and the business of organizing the church got underway. S. N. Lamb was elected to serve as clerk of the meeting. When the Moderator called for evidence relative to the advisability of organizing the church, fourteen (14) letters from other Missionary Baptist Churches, in good standing in the Association, were presented to the clerk and he read those letters to the Presbytery and the assembly in the conference. The Moderator then read the Article of Faith, which was ratified, and in like manner the Church Covenant, which was adopted, then the Moderator pronounced the body of duly organized Missionary Baptist Church and the right hand of fellowship was extended to the newly organized church by the Presbytery.

D. B. Stanley was called to be the first pastor of the church for the remainder of the Associational year.

Since the organization of the church, it has shown an increase in most of the years. The activities have been geared along the lines proposed by the Baptist leaders for the purpose of promoting Christian and Baptist faith, in general and Baptist work in particular. Several ministers have been licensed and ordained from their midst.

Those pastors having served Union Valley Baptist Church are D. B. Stanley, from 1933 until 1940, R. W. Strickland from 1940 until 1947, E. E. Ulrich from 1947 until 1948, R. C. Melton from 1948 until 1952, Johnny Hooks from

1952 until 1955, Ronald Rich from 1955 until 1957, R. D. Byrd from 1957 until 1959, Judson Rotan from 1959 until 1961 and Gaston Hester from 1961 until 1972.

Sidney Oxendine served as pastor from April 18, 1973 until the Fall of 1975.

Lowell McDaniel was called as pastor January 18, 1976 and served until January 16, 1977.

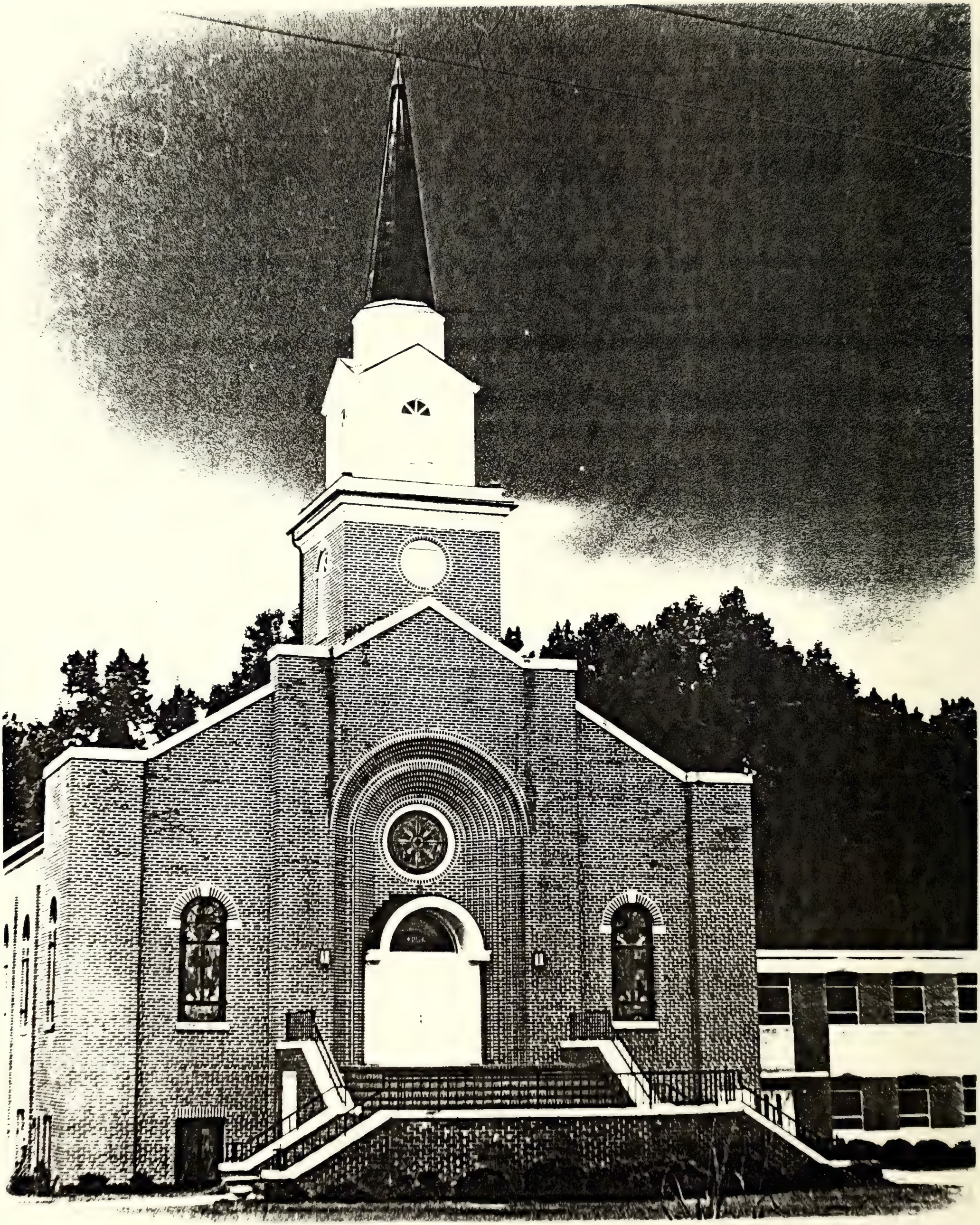
Alex Williams served as pastor from December 4, 1977 until December 2, 1979.

George Berry served as pastor from June 8, 1980 until June 1, 1984.

During Mr. Berry's pastorate there has been steady growth. All WMU organizations were organized in December, 1980. The offerings and attendance has had a steady increase.

R.A.'s were organized in February, 1982.

A fellowship hall was constructed in September, 1981.



WESTERN PRONG

Western Prong Baptist Church records show that a non-denominational church was organized in 1801 to serve all people who felt the need of a divine place of worship. Services were usually held in the home of Captain James Shipman; however, on many occasions people worshipped in the widely scattered homes of their neighbors. In 1802 the people erected a log and bough hut on the south side of the Western Prong swamp. It was their first permanent church. There were eleven (11) charter members.

These early pioneers built a church building in 1846 across the road from their crude log hut on land donated by Richard Wooten. It was a plain building and contained no offices or Sunday School rooms, but also concerned about the spiritual needs of their Negro workers. The church made room in their building for them to attend. For nearly thirty (30) years this sturdy structure served the two-fold purpose of preaching and teaching the Gospel.

Though it served its purpose well, by 1874 the building began to show signs of wear that came with a modestly growing and increasingly active church. The church decided to erect a new meeting place. The old building was sold to Gade Wooten, a freed slave for $100.

The latter part of that year the church decided to construct a new building at a site not more than fifty (50) yards from where the first building stood. Built by Sandy Carter, it was a much larger and sturdier structure. Strong heart pine went into its walls, floor and roof, and two Sunday School rooms provided space for those special services.

D. J. Ray was called in 1876 as the first pastor. Early converts were baptized in a small pond, caused by the run of the Prong Swamp and named the "Baptismal Hole".

A member of the church, E. W. Wooten, succeeded Mr. Ray as pastor and served until 1889. He, in turn, was followed by C. W. Hill, Haynes Lennon, B. H. Phillips, J. B. Bowing, J. A. Smith and A. H. Porter who served short pastorates.

The membership in 1888 was 138 men and 205 women, making a total of 343.

Formal Sunday School services were organized on June 1, 1889. The meeting was held by Hayes Lennon, Moderator and D. H. Cook, Clerk.

Until 1904 services took place only once each month. On November 20 of that year, the church increased them to twice per month.

F. T. Wooten became pastor in December, 1908 and served until 1923. He was the son of E. W. Wooten, the church's first ordained pastor.

In January, 1924, S. N. Watson was called as pastor. During his service the Saturday conferences were discontinued. Ill health forced his resignation in November, 1930. He was followed by C. M. Pegram who served from 1931 until 1936. In 1937 Donald Myers became pastor. It was during his pastorate that the church began to plan for the building in which the congregation now worship. He left the church in June, 1941 and was replaced by G. Carl Lewis.

In 1942 the task of raising money for the new structure was begun.

Mr. Lewis resigned in June, 1944 and was followed by A. D. Frazier and Herbert Noe, who each served three years. W. S. Caudle came in 1950 and served three years. It was during his pastorate that the present church building was constructed at a cost of $180,000.

V. P. Locke accepted the pastorate in October, 1953. The parsonage was begun in December, 1954 and dedicated on September 25, 1955. Mr. Locke left in 1957 and in 1958 L. Eugene Walter was called and served until 1965. It was during his pastorate that the educational plant was erected.

Grady Cline became pastor on August 4, 1965 and left the church on December 1, 1969. On May 28, 1970, Irvin Adcock began his pastorate. A dedication service was held for the educational building on January 28, 1973 with the note burning and the rejoicing of the church being debt free. In January, 1976, the renovation of the church sanctuary was begun. Wainscoting and matching wallpaper now added to the natural attractiveness of the sanctuary. The choir loft was re-arranged, the walls were painted and baptistry curtains of fine damask were added. A new ramp and steps were added to the front and a marble floor laid in the foyer.

Mr. Adcock's resignation became effective October 21, 1976.

The congregation has worshipped in four (4) different buildings and the present one has approximately 20,000 square feet.

Eddie McPeters became pastor in February, 1977 and served eleven (11) months as pastor.

John Stephenson is the present pastor.

This church has sent two (2) fine young men into the world as ministers. They are Mark Owens in 1951 and Dan Page in 1953.

For many years Mrs. Sadie Watson and Mrs. Ruth Lane have given outstanding leadership in Woman's Missionary Union work in the Columbus Baptist Association.

Several others of its members have served in leadership positions in the association. These are Job Goodman, Haynes Lennon, Edward W. Wooten, Bill Hooks, Billy Hooks, Frank T. Wooten, W. S. Ballard and Ed Worley.

PROCEEDINGS

1. A called associational meeting was held Tuesday, November 22, 1983 at Trinity Baptist Church for the purpose of voting a second time on the purchase of the Sam T. Gore property on the Smyrna Road as facilities for an associational office.

2. The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Bernard Lennon.

3. A hymn, "To God Be the Glory", was led by Herman Goodin, Associational Music Director.

4. A devotion was given by Frank Stanley and a prayer was rendered by Phil Moore.

5. The clerk, Wanda Horton, made a roll call of the churches and ballots were given to messengers.

6. Beasley Strickland presented the building and a recommendation for its purchase. This motion was seconded.

7. After much discussion, the ballots were cast, counted and the results made known. The recommendation was defeated: For - 68; Against 118.

8. The Special Building Committee resigned but no action was taken to accept this resignation.

9. After a motion to adjourn, the benediction was offered.

Wanda Horton, Clerk
Bernard Lennon, Moderator

SPRING MEETING

1. The Annual Spring Associational Meeting was held Tuesday, April 17, 1984; 3:00 P. M. at Cherry Grove Baptist Church. Bernard Lennon, Moderator, presided.

2. The meeting was opened with the hymn, "Come, Thou Almighty King", led by Herman Goodin.

3. Merlin Boone, host pastor, extended the welcome to the messengers and visitors. He then led the congregation in a devotion on World Missions.

4. Mr. Lennon recognized Tim Moore and his wife, Peggy, as new pastor and wife at Porter Swamp.

5. Phil Moore brought the Nominating Committee Report and made the motion for its adoption. This was seconded and carried.

6. Dennis Bazemore brought promotion to the summer project in West Virginia and a tornado disaster up-date on our neighboring counties.

7. Dr. Boone introduced the guest speaker, Dr. William G. Tanner, President of the Home Mission Board.

8. Mr. Goodin brought a message in music entitled, "My Soul in Sad Exile".

9. Dr. Tanner brought some interesting information on the Home Mission Board. The work began in Marion, Alabama and moved to Atlanta in 1883. There is work in all fifty (50) states. He told us there are fourteen (14) basic programs and four (4) sections; Missions, Evangelism, Planning and Service. The budget is just under $60 million. They receive the funds through the Cooperative Program and the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering. There are 120 people on staff; 275 support people and five (5) Vice-Presidents. They certify all chaplains in prisons, military, etc. They cannot serve until the Home Mission Board endorses them. They work with 87 languages, plus 91 Indian dialects. There are 3,000 dialects spoken in the United States.

10. Mr. Goodin led in singing the hymn, "Our Best".

11. Mr. Goodin brought two (2) beautiful messages in song. They were "The Lighthouse" and "The Longer I Serve Him".

12. Dr. Boone promoted Pennsylvania mission work.

13. Mr. Goodin led the congregation in singing, "Jesus, Thy Boundless Love to Me".

14. Dr. Tanner brought a message on "Do You Really Care?" He brought three (3) points to this end. 1. Willingness. 2. Spirit of caring. 3. Spirit of gratitude.

15. The Prayer of Thanksgiving was offered by John Stephenson.

16. A pre-session concert of Easter Music was rendered by David Baker. Hilda Small accompanied on the piano and the narrator was Richard Williamson.

17. The evening session was opened with a congregational song, "The Solid Rock".

18. Thanks was extended to the church for their hospitality.

19 Dr. Tanner was recognized in appreciation of his being our special guest.

20. The congregation was led once again in singing, "Break Thou The Bread of Life".

21. Dr. Tanner brought a message with his text being II Timothy 2:19-21. His topic was "Being a Vessel Unto Honor". He gave three (3) points to become this: 1. In-dwelling presence. 2. Participation. 3. Go where the people are.

22. The benediction was offered by Dr. Boone.

Wanda Horton, Clerk
Bernard Lennon, Moderator

ANNUAL FALL ASSOCIATIONAL MEETING

Tuesday, October 23, 1984
Tabor City Baptist Church
Bernard Lennon, Moderator

2:45	Registration	
3:00	Hymn No. 277	"We Have Heard the Joyful Sound"
3:05	Welcome	Rev. Daniel Deaton
3:10	Recognition of new pastors	Bernard Lennon
3:15	Devotion	Rev. David Todd
3:20	Message	Charles Storey
3:50	Hymn No. 409	"When We Walk With the Lord"
3:55	Missions Committee Report	Rev. Dennis Bazemore
4:10	Executive Committee and Associational Council Reports	
4:25	Memorials	Mrs. Bertie Lanehart
4:30	Miscellaneous Business and Reports	
5:00	Budget Committee Report	
	Committee on Committees Report	
5:10	Hymn No. 165	"Amazing Grace"
5:15	Special Music	
5:25	Annual Sermon	Rev. Maurice Gilliam
5:55	Prayer of Thanksgiving	Rev. George Hollifield
6:00	Evening Meal	
7:00	Hymn No. 334	"Blessed Assurance"
7:05	Devotion	Rev. Lewis Howard
7:10	Togo	Robert and Sue Shaw
7:40	Special Music	Tabor City Chancel Choir
7:45	Message	Kay Huggins
8:15	Resolutions	
	Benediction	Rev. Ron Settle

PROCEEDINGS

1. The One Hundred Eightieth Fall Associational Meeting met on Tuesday, October 23, 1984 with Tabor City Baptist Church at 3:00 P. M. Bernard Lennon, Moderator, presided.

2. The meeting was opened with the hymn, "We Have Heard the Joyful Sound", under the direction of Jim Smith.

3. Dan Deaton, host pastor, gave the welcome.

4. The new pastors and wives recognized were: Robert Medlin, George Hollifield, David Todd, Tim Blair, Lewis Howard, Ron Settle and Leroy Ward.

5. A devotion was given from Pslams 90:12-17 by David Todd.

6. Charles Storey offered a song, "Share His Love", and spoke briefly on church music.

7. Jim Sauls from the Retirement Homes gave a brief report from this agency.

8. Mr. Smith led the congreation in singing, "When We Walk With the Lord".

9. In the Missions Committee Report, Dennis Bazemore recognized Willis Horton and Bervin Ferguson for their faithful service on this committee and to the association through the past year. This report was accepted.

10. John Stephenson brought the Associational Council and Executive Committee reports. These were adopted. One important matter coming from these committees was the appointing of a Property Search Committee with A. D. Peacock, Keith Blake, Faye Pierce and James McQuere serving as Chairman.

11. Walter Jones led the memorial service using several scriptures and prayer.

12. Sandra Weavil brough the Library Report. This report was adopted.

13. Ray Lundy brought the Evangelism Report, which was adopted.

14. Faye Pierce and Ruth Whitley gave the W.M.U. report, which was adopted.

15. Wade Fowler brought the prison and Seminary Extension reports. These were adopted.

16. Roger Gilbert brough the report concerning the Pastor/Staff Enrichment Committee. This report was adopted.

17. The Treasurer's Report was given by Brenda Jolly. Report accepted.

18. The Proposed Budget was adopted after being presented by Maurice Gilliam.

19. Frank Stanley brought the recommendation from the Committee on Committees, which was adopted.

20. Merlin Boone was recognized for his service on the Program Committee for three (3) years.

21. David Anderson announced "M" Night would be held November 26.

22. Walter Jones brought a Sunday School report.

23. The congregation sang the hymn, "Leaning On The Everlasting Arms".

24. Betty Jean Ward brought beautiful music including "Ten Thousand Angels" and "Amazing Grace".

25. Maurice Gilliam brought the annual sermon using stewardship as his topic and using Luke 2:41 as his text.

26. The Prayer of Thanksgiving was given by George Hollifield.

27. The Evening Session was opened with the hymn, "Blessed Assurance".

28. Lewis Howard brought a devotion using Isaiah 34:1 and The Great Commission as his scripture.

29. Robert and Sue Shaw gave a slide presentation of their mission trip to Togo, West Africa.

30. Maurice Gilliam, Cameron Norris and Robert and Sue Shaw were recognized for their service to our association.

31. The congregation sang, "I Am Resolved".

32. The Tabor City Chancel Choir brought special music which included, "Every Time I Feel the Spirit" and "My Eternal King".

33. Dr. Kay Huggins brought a message on missions.

34. R. E. Carter brought two (2) resolutions from that committee which were adopted.

35. The benediction was offered by Walter Jones.

Respectfully submitted,

Wanda Horton
Clerk

NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

1984 - 1985

Moderator	Bernard Lennon (Lennon's Cross Roads) Route 1, Box 436, Evergreen 648-4636
Vice-Moderator	Rev. John Stephenson (Western Prong) Route 1, Box 97, Whiteville 648-4746
Clerk	Ms. Wanda Horton (New Hope) Route 5, Box 99, Whiteville 642-2155
Treasurer	Mrs. Brenda W. Jolly (Hallsboro) P. O. Box 1095, Whiteville 646-3225
Sunday School Director	Rev. Richard Poynor (New Hope) Route 1, Box 131-A, Clarendon 653-3377
Church Training Director	Bobby N. Stanley (Clarendon) Route 1, Box 2, Clarendon 653-2925
Brotherhood Director	Jack Strickland (Cherry Grove) Route 1, Box 208, Cerro Gordo 654-4350
Woman's Missionary Union	Mrs. Faye Pierce (White Marsh) 409 N. Madison Street, Whiteville 642-3379/7250
Music Director	Rev. Herman Goodin (Cerro Gordo) P. O. Box 159, Cerro Gordo 654-5507
Church Media Director	Mrs. Sandra Weavil (Western Prong) Route 2, Box 51, Clarkton 648-2291
Evangelism	Dr. Ray Lundy (Fair Bluff) P. O. Box 435, Fair Bluff 649-7178
Missions Committee	Rev. Dennis Bazemore (Chadbourn) Fourth at Howard Street, Chadbourn 654-3992
Stewardship Chairman	Rev. Maurice Gilliam (Hallsboro) P. O. Box 86, Hallsboro 646-3283

Respectfully submitted,

Ed Worley, Chairman
Phil Moore
Harold Hughes
Elmore Strickland

MEDIA LIBRARY REPORT

Our training program for this year has been very helpful for both beginner and advanced Media Library workers, which has been as follows:

Seven (7) from our association attended a workshop on "Graphics and Promotion" at Southport Baptist Church, Southport, N. C., taught by Mancil Ezell. This meeting was November 14, 1983.

On November 18 - 19, 1983, at the Baptist State Office in Raleigh, three (3) from our association went to a workshop on Stage III, "How to Classify, Catalog, and Maintain Media", also Supplement on Stage III.

On January 5, 1984, we helped Sweet Home put about 200 books on the shelves of their Media Library after working with them since August, 1983. Sweet Home Media Library is now open and growing.

We finished "How to Process Media", lesson 2, 3 and 4 on February 10, 1984 with eight (8) present.

Mrs. Dot Bell, a pastor and a pastor's wife from Bladenboro, N. C., taught the book A CHURCH ON MISSION, April 13 - 14, 1984, which is a five (5) hour course. Six (6) got study course credit for this book.

A group of seven (7) attended the Interpreation Clinic, May 28, at First Baptist Church. We discussed "BTN" Baptist Telecommunications Network. This is a satellite operated by the Sunday School Board of the Southern Baptist Convention.

Our association has eighteen (18) churches with Media Library Centers. We know that some of the 18 churches are still active, some are not. Without the help of pastors and leaders in our churches, Media Library Centers, cannot provide the service and help our church people's needs. We, the members of the associational Church Media Library organization, are glad to help start new Media Libraries or help get old libraries started again.

Sandra Weavil
Director

PASTORAL MINISTRIES

A conference for pastors was held as part of the Key Leadership Conference on May 28 at First Baptist Church of Whiteville. The pastors discussed several areas of concern regarding their effectiveness in the local church and their own spiritual and emotional needs. That pastors need the support of one another as brother in Christ was the clearly expressed consensus of the group. It was stated that their common bond as ministers of the Gospel should be more powerful than any differences of theology or opinion.

In an attempt to discover what seminars would be well received by the pastors, a questionnaire regarding areas of study was handed out. The areas were:

ABC's of Church Administration
Conflict Management
Time Management
Stress Management
Marriage Counseling
Motivation
Grief Ministry
Sermon Preparation
Congregational Worship

The three areas receiving the most "votes" were Time Management, Conflict Management, and Sermon Preparation. Seminars in these areas will be planned in the near future. Others who did not have opportunity to turn in a questionnatire are encouraged to indicate your preferences and to make any other suggestions.

Roger Gilbert

COOPERATIVE PROGRAM REPORT

We commend the people and churches of the Columbus Baptist Association for the gifts sent through the Cooperative Program. This means that wer are claiming a larger part of the shared ministred around the world. It means that we have pooled our dollars with others to share the love of Christ and His gospel with the lost and needy people of the world. It means that we have a part in helping someone, who never heard about Jesus, come to know Him as Lord and Savior. It means that we are helping pastors, missionaries, teachers, doctors, nurses, and a host of others with the work to which God has called them.

The Cooperative Program works like this. We place our tithes and offerings in the plate when we worship. Out of that offering the church takes a part and sends it to the office of the Baptist State Convention, a servant agency helping the churches to administer their gifts to the Lord.

Most churches have found that giving a percentage of the plate offering to be an easy and fair way to share it with the lost and needy world. Some strong churches give a very large percent of their plate dollar through the Cooperative Program. In the light of example and biblical teaching it seems that every church ought to adopt ten percent as a minimum.

In 1983, available records show that 93% of the churches of our association shared their offering with the world through the Cooperative Program. The amount of the gifts sent through the Cooperative Program last year was $185,020, an increase of 31% over the year before.

Churches of the Columbus Baptist Association, when you plan your budget for the next year, consider the ease and fairness of the percentage approach, and adopt a percentage that will reflect your obedience to the Great Commission.

Respectfully submitted,

Maurice Gilliam

PROPOSED BUDGET
1984-85
COLUMBUS BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

I.	OUR MISSION MINISTRY (Salary, Prison Chaplain, Literacy, Good Shepherd Home, World Missions Conference, Booth/Material Columbus County Fair	$ 4,050.00	$ 4,050.00
II.	OUR STAFF LEADERSHIP		
	Salary	12,900.00	
	Housing, Utilities	6,500.00	
	Travel	4,600.00	
			24,000.00
III.	OUR CHURCH DEVELOPMENT/CHRISTIAN EDUCATION		
	Sunday School	400.00	
	Church Training	300.00	
	Brotherhood	455.00	
	WMU	420.00	
	Church Music	250.00	
	Evangelism	400.00	
	Library	100.00	
	Seminary Extension	350.00	
	Visiting Speakers	400.00	
	Deacons	400.00	
	Key Leadership	360.00	
	Youth	200.00	
	Program Committee	400.00	
			4,435.00
IV.	OUR ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT MINISTRIES		
	Salary, Secretary	10,425.00	
	Travel for Secretary	648.00	
	Insurance, Secretary	422.00	
	Social Security for Secretary	550.00	
	Convention Expense	1,620.00	
	Annuity, Hospital and Life Insurance	5,000.00	
	Social Security	900.00	
	Office Supplies	5,250.00	
	Office Utilities	4,000.00	
	Contracts for Office Equipment	2,000.00	
	Insurance	275.00	
	Contingency Fund	600.00	
	Salary, Clerk	108.00	
	Salary, Treasurer	130.00	
	Postage	1,300.00	
	Maintenance/Building and Grounds	250.00	
			33,478.00
Total			$ 65,963.00

WMU NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

WMU Director	Mrs. Malcolm Pierce (Faye) 409 North Madison St., Whiteville	White Marsh 642-3379/7250
Assistant Director	Mrs. C. N. Sharpe (Lettie) P. O. Box 223, Whiteville	Lake Waccamaw 642-6796/646-3238
Enlargement Director	Mrs. Willis Horton (Frances) Route 1, Box 103-A, Whiteville	Western Prong 648-4143
Baptist Women Director	Mrs. Robert Shaw (Sue) Route 1, Box 62, Evergreen	Evergreen 654-3962
Baptist Young Women Director	Mrs. C. B. Stanley (Sandra) Route 1, Box 18-A, Tabor City	Tabor City 653-9181
Acteens Director	Mrs. David McKeithan (Linda) Route 5, Box 444-B, Whiteville	Trinity 642-2917
G. A.'s Director	Mrs. Bernard Lennon (Jackie) Route 1, Box 436, Evergreen	Lennon's X Rds. 648-4636
Mission Friends Director	Mrs. John Harrelson (Linda) Route 3, Box 74-D, Whiteville	Calvary 642-2388
Mission Action Director	Mrs. Rachel Arnette Route 3, Box 260, Chadbourn	Piney Forest 654-3877
Mission Study/Support Director	Miss Jackie Fleming Route 6, Box 389, Whiteville	White Marsh 642-2653
Centennial Chp.	Mrs. Horace Whitley (Ruth) 227 East Calhoun St., Whiteville	Whiteville First 642-2442
Scholarship Chp.	Mrs. Edward McLelland (Mona) P. O. Box 1142, Whiteville	New Hope 642-4210/6011
Area Directors:		
Group I	Mrs. Tommy Fields (Linda) 109 Brown Street, Tabor City	Westside 653-4914
Group II	Mrs. Carl Hoffner (Kathy) Route 3, Box 249, Chadbourn	Piney Forest 654-4315
Group III	Mrs. Thomas Boswell (Alice) Route 3, Box 210-B, Whiteville	Pleasant Hill 642-7112
Group IV	Mrs. Currie Wooten (Margorie) Route 2, Box 113-A, Clarkton	Western Prong 648-4694/642-6796
Group V	Mrs. Tommy Hufham (Connie) P. O. Box 128, Delco	Delco 655-2621
Treasurer	Mrs. Gene Inman (Frances) P. O. Box 157, Whiteville	Western Prong 642-4202

ASSOCIATIONAL COUNCIL REPORT

The Associational Council took action on the following items during the past year.

The Council went on record as encouraging an Associational-wide Sunday School Enlargement Campaign in the Spring of 1985.

The Council brought a recommendation that Wade Fowler become the Chaplain at our local prison and that he be paid from funds allocated from the Baptist State Convention for this purpose.

The Council went on record showing appreciation to Jack Strickland, Brotherhood Director, for the fine Christian way he had handled a serious RA problem.

Associational Week of Prayer was observed May 21 - 27, 1984.

Painting of the office building was done by the Richard Poynor family.

The new sign identifying our associational office was made, painted and presented by Boyd Thompson.

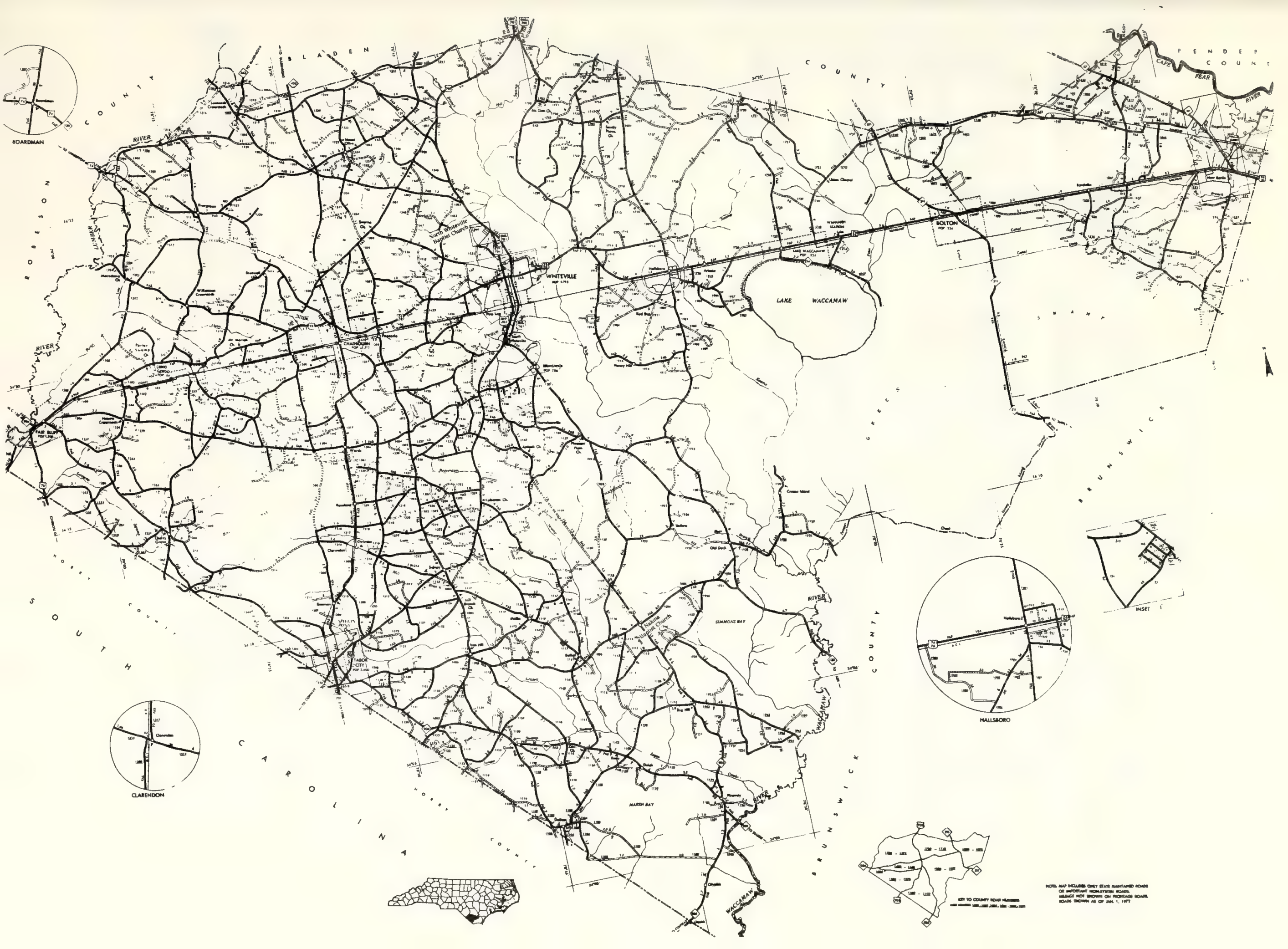
A cost of 4¢ per copy with paper and 5¢ per copy without paper was approved by the Council. This was in keeping with our cost of maintenance for the new copier.

Respectfully submitted,

John Stephenson, Chairman
Wanda Horton, Clerk

CHURCH LOCATIONS

Antioch	County Road 1162
Boardman	County Road 1506
Bolton	Highway 74
Brunswick	Maple Street
Calvary	McQueen Nursery Road
Cedar Grove	County Road 1410
Cerro Gordo	County Road 1406
Chadbourn	Fourth at Howard Street
Cheerful Hope	Byrdville Road
Cherry Grove	County Road 1401
China Grove	County Road 1412
Clarendon	Highway 410
Corinth	Old Highway 74
Delco	Highway 74
Evergreen	Highway 242
Fair Bluff	Highway 76
Faith	County Road 1004
Forest Lawn	Highway 701
Friendly Chapel	Forest Drive
Gapway	County Road 1346
Hallsboro	County Road 1001
Hinson's Cross Roads	Intersection County Road 1004 and 135
Iron Hill	County Road 1005
Lake Waccamaw	Highway 74
Lennon's Cross Roads	Highway 242
Macedonia	County Road 1506
Mount Zion	County Road 1700
Nakina	Intersection Highway 905 and County Road 1006
New Hope	County Road 1004
Oak Dale	Highway 410
Peace	County Road 1432
Piney Forest	Highway 76
Pleasant Hill	Intersection County Road 1335 and 142
Pleasant Plains	Highway 130
Porter Swamp	Highway 76
Riegelwood	Highway 87
Smyrna	Intersection County Road 1005 and 155
Sweet Home	Intersection County Road 1117, 1150 and 1173
Tabor City	Live Oak Street
Trinity	South Thompson Street
Union Chapel	Highway 214
Union Valley	Smyrna Road - County Road 1552
Western Prong	Intersection Highway 701 and County Road 1005
Westside	Highway 904
White Marsh	County Road 1712
Whiteville First	North Madison Street
Whiteville West	Sunset Terrace
Williamson's Cross Roads	Intersection Highway 242 and County Road 1504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PENDER COUNTY
CAPE FEAR RIVER
ROBESON COUNTY
LUMBER RIVER
North Whiteville Baptist Church
WHITEVILLE
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CERRO GORDO
FAIR BLUFF
LAKE WACCAMAW
WANANISH STATION
BOLTON
GREEN SWAMP
BRUNSWICK COUNTY
Nakina Baptist Church
SIMMONS BAY
MARSH BAY
WACCAMAW RIVER
TABOR CITY
HORRY COUNTY
SOUTH CAROLINA
CLARENDON
HALLSBORO
INSET 1
KEY TO COUNTY ROAD NUMBERS
NOTE: MAP INCLUDES ONLY STATE MAINTAINED ROADS OR IMPORTANT NON-SYSTEM ROADS.
MILEAGE NOT SHOWN ON FRONTAGE ROADS.
ROADS SHOWN AS OF JAN. 1, 1977

BAPTIST HOSPITAL REPORT

During the past year Baptist Hospital admitted 24,577 patients for a total of 218,735 days of patient care. There were 211,547 outpatient clinic visits and 31,930 visits to the emergency room. Surgical procedures totaled 11,816 including 700 open heart operations and 20 kidney transplants.

Several clinical advances during the past year seve as examples of the hospital's quality of care. 1. A new procedure for treating head injuries, 2. improvements in perinatal care with special emphasis on prevention of preterm labor, 3. non-surgical treatment for ruptured veribral discs, 4. acquired ultrasound equipment to break up stones of the urinary tract so that, in many instances, surgery is not necessary.

The School of Pastoral Care continues to provide 47 clinical pastoral programs and meet the spiritual needs of patients, families and hospital staff under the direction of Dr. J. Dewey Hobbs. This program received $515,556 from the Cooperative Program during the last year.

The North Carolina Missions Offering has assisted financially 418 patients. $351,801 was contributed to this fund.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert Shaw

EVANGELISM REPORT

We are told that only three percent of all the lost people come to our churches on their own. This means that 97 percent are out there lost without help, without hope, without strength. These people will die and go to hell unless we go to where they are and share Jesus with them. It is absolutely imperative that our church people come out of the beautiful church buildings into the market place and shaew with the lost humanity the "Good News" of Jesus.

All Baptists are urged to participate in the "Good News America God Loves You" revival in March and April, 1986. The revival dates for the areas are: Eastern, March 9 - 16; Piedmont, March 23 - 30; and Western, April 6 - 13, 1986. Every church is encouraged to plan a revival meeting during one of these suggested dates. Let us pray daily that every unsaved person in North Carolina will have the opportunity to hear the gospel of Christ by the end of 1986.

Churches are urged to have a CWT or Lay Evangelism School training in preparation for the "Good News America" revivals. Bible distribution and a people search will be emphasized during October, 1985.

Many of our churches have already schedule revival training seminars, Gorwing Evangelistic Churches in North Carolina seminars, and Spiritual Awakening seminars for 1985.

In February, in the midst of a snow storm, the Statewide Evangelism Conference was held at War Memorial Auditorium, Greensboro. Dr. Claude Rhea led the music and Dr. Jess Moody, D. L. Lowrie, Dr. Doug Watterson, Dr. Grady Wilson, Laura Allen, and Dr. Gardner Taylor preached to the twenty-five hundred in attendance. On February 4 - 5, 1985, the 39th Conference will be held in Greensboro with Joe Ann Shelton leading the music, Dr. Bill Tanner, Dr. James Pleitz, Dr. F. G. Sampson, Dr. John Sullivan and Dr. John Bisagno bringing the messages.

The Youth Evangelistic Crusades were held in May this year at Chowan College, Winston-Salem, and Asheville with almost four thousand young people in attendance.

The Evangelism Division sponsored 15 regional meetings in October designed for pastors and staff. These meetings will be held each year to inform and educate the staff and on coming evangelism events and programs. The meetings begin at 10:00 A. M. and last until noon with lunch being served. This year the emphasis will be on the "Good News America" revivals.

Again, one of the hits of the year was the Single Adult Evangelism retreat. This is the second year for this retreat and it along with the vocational evangelists retreat are always well attended.

The first ever Mountain Pastors Evangelism Conference was held at Ridgecrest and was such a success the 1984 conference is already on the agenda. Designed for the mountain pastor and his wife, the conference begins on Friday afternoon and concludes Saturday at 2:00 P. M.

With baptism down this year, let's pray God will use each of us to win one in 1984-85.

NOTE: An Evangelism Conference for the Columbus Association will be held on August 26, 1985, at Fair Bluff Baptist Church. Please place this on your calendar NOW as a priority item.

Respectfully submitted,

Ray L. Lundy
Chairman of Evangelism

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY

The American Bible Society is continuing to translate the Word of God into the different languages and dialects of the world. More than 700 translation projects were underway last year.

By the cooperation of the churches and missions world wide, 497 million copies of scriptures -- from whole Bible to single selections -- found their way into the hands of people in nearly every country on earth last year.

American Bible Society is working diligently with Bible Societies around the world to bring God's Word to all the men, women and children who are able to begin to read of His love. As they progress through the graded series of New Reader Scriptures, often is combination with recorded Scriptures on cassette, they will eventually be able to read the complete Bible for themselves! This idea of "literacy and love for the Lord" was taken very much to heart by contributors to ABS during 1983, with an increase in giving to the New Reader program of eight percent over 1982 figures.

Looking ahead

One of the most impressive and challenging facts which has recently emerged is that, in a single five-year period, there has been an increase of 17 percent in the number of new Christians in just five countries of Asia, Africa and Latin America -- more then 24 million new Christians who need and want to read God's Word for themselves.

For these new Christians, for all those who already are followers of Christ and need their own Scriptures, and for the million throughout the world who are yet unreached, the American Bible Society hopes most earnestly for the continued and increase support of the Southern Baptist Convention. In 1983, this support amounted to $324,377 or approximately $.02 per member for the year. We pray that the ministry we share will grown in strength, as we work together to make God's Word known, loved and lived throughout the world.

CHRISTIAN ACTION LEAGUE

The Christian Action League has done more to combat morals issues in North Carolina than any other private group I know. Most of their support has come from concerned Christian lay people of all denominations; however, the greatest support comes from our denomination because of its size.

We must heed some of the warnings they have placed before us.

1. Lottery. "The pro-gambling industry has targeted North Carolina as a key state for another effort in 1985." (This means we will have to begin to organize now if it is defeated.

2. Pornography. "North Carolina has become the nation's 'smut' capital with more sex outlets (x-rated theaters, etc.) per capita than any state" -- Only New York and California exceed North Carolina in the availability and distribution of child pornography.

If you are really concerned about this problem, contact the Christian Action League, P. O. Box 2126, Raleigh, N. C. 27602.

3. Beer, Wine and Liguor. "One of the key victories was in Avery County town of Elk Park where beer sales were abolished. This ought to encourage other areas to follow their leadership."

4. Abortions. "North Carolina remains the only state in the Southeast to use tax funds for medically unnecessary abortions. Federal funds are provided for those cases where the mother's life if endangered. However we use state tax funds for those who use abortion as a matter of birth control or convenience."

This information was taken from the 1984 Annual League's report to the Associaton.

Use the address listed earlier in the report when you need to know what's happening concerning events in North Carolina. Join the league by sending at least $5.00 and get their monthly mailout.

BAPTIST FOUNDATION

In the midst of our attention to space exploration, adventures of science fiction personalities, and the real-life exploits of astronauts, and lovable character, "E.T." was born. He became the object of our sympathy and affection, as well as the source of revenue for his creators. For the North Carolina Baptist Foundation, the letters "E.T." have taken on another and especially significant meaning during the year 1983-84. The most exciting new idea was the creation of the Endowment Trust - Everybody's Trust. It is now possible for practically every adult in our churches to participate in sustained support of Baptist work through a perpetual trust. Each of us wishes we could continue our witness forever. We know that we should plan for such continuing witness. And now each of us can participate in permanent support of our particular Baptist interest.

The Endowment Trust you create may be started with as small a gift as $25.00. You may add a tax deductible gift to it as often as you wish, in whatever amount you wish. When the principal attains a minimum which you predetermine, (usually $1,000), then the income earned is distributed to the Baptist cause which you have also predetermined. The income will be paid every year, after year, after year - forever!

The potential?

If friends of just one-half the members of our churches who die each year should place their memorial gifts in Endowment Trusts to honor those persons, we could increase the support base of Baptist work by six million dollars each year!

If 1,000 of us with vision should honor retiring pastors or faithful church leaders, or recognize the birthdays of venerable members with Endowment Trusts, that would place one million dollars in trust for Baptist causes!

If those of us who shop and search for a meaningful gift for parent or other loved one should give them, instead, a trust in their name, we would instantly make available millions of dollars for mission outreach!

One example is worth a million descriptive words. Just a few months ago, a widow in Thomasville created an Endowment Trust in memory of her husband. Her initial gift was $100. At Christmas, she and her children added to the Trust. As this report is being written, five checks totaling $300 to be placed in the Trust have arrived from this family "in memory of him on Father's Day!" Surely a more loving and significant gesture is difficult to find. Each of us has equal access to such joy!

The impact of the E.T. Trust, and the increasing awareness that we each have a responsibility for the eternal use of our material resources, has caused Baptists of North Carolina to give this past year through new trusts, designated additions to existing trusts, and through increased value of assets managed by the Foundation a total of $953,000, an increase of almost a million dollars each year! Income earned by tursts - income which is all paid out to Baptist causes or annuitants - was over $534,000 last year. A half-mission dollars distributed, much of it in the name of persons no longer living here on earth!

Rapidly increasing, and very evident in this past year, is the service rendered as executor of estates and through exercising power of attorney. This is a service which the Foundation happily affords and which will soon be expanded when a staff person will be assigned this responsibility.

BAPTIST FOUNDATION

No author of science fiction generates more excitement than you who make commitment of self and substance for the Lord's work - forever! The Foundation exists to help you discover ways to demonstrate your own commitment through planned stewardship of those resources which you leave after life on earth ceases.

TIME, PLACE AND PREACHER COMMITTEE REPORT

Time: April 23, 1985
Spring Annual Inspirational Associational Meeting
Place: Chadbourn Baptist Church

Time: October 22, 1985
Annual Fall Associational Meeting
Place: Delco Baptist Church

Preacher: Rev. J. P. Williams

Alternate: Rev. Earl Lanier

CHRISTIAN HIGHER EDUCATION

In a special study, adopted by the Council on Christian Higher Education, the Baptist College was described as a place for study; a place for growing in spiritual and intellectual maturity; and a place where life continues and futures are shaped.

That same report says Baptist colleges are worth what they cost because they offer:

1. A good, comprehensive educational experience.
2. An atmosphere of Christian trust and loving concern.
3. The challenge to think and to distinguish among values.
4. An understanding of the place of faith, and the scope of limitations of reason.
5. Acceptance into a person-centered community where spiritual, personal and intellectual growth are encouraged.
6. The opportunity to become familiar with the great ideas and cultures of the past.
7. The motivation to develop a Christian world-view for facing the uncertainties of the future and for resisting the claims of rivals to Christian thought.

The choice of a college has a life-shaping impact. Baptist young people are encouraged to attend Baptist colleges at one of the following colleges:

CAMPBELL - CHOWAN - GARDNER-WEBB - MARS HILL - MEREDITH - WAKE FOREST - WINGATE

It will make a world of difference in their lives.

Sincerely,

J. C. FormyDuval

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

1984-1985

Credentials:

Ray Justice (Trinity) '85
Dan Williams (Riegelwood) '86
*Daniel Deaton (Tabor City) '87

Missions:

Mrs. Ruth Whitley (Whiteville First) '85
D. J. Peterson (Cheerful Hope) '85
*A. D. Peacock (Lake Waccamaw) '85
*Ms. Delores DeRosa (Tabor City) '85
*Mrs. Margaret Hewett (Clarendon) '86
*Bill McRae (Lake Waccamaw) '86
Mrs. Carol Newton (Smyrna) '86
J. G. White (New Hope) '86
*Mrs. Shirley McCleney (Piney Forest) '87
*James Duncan (Riegelwood) '87
*Dennis Bazemore (Chadbourn) '87

Finance:

C. D. Branch (Lennon's Cross Roads) '85
Billy Rushing (White Marsh) '85
Hubert McCleney (Piney Forest) '85
*David Todd (Delco) '86
Mrs. Sue Shaw (Evergreen) '86
Frank Stanley (Tabor City) '86
Edgar Hinson (New Hope) '86
*Mrs. Joyce Peterson (Cheerful Hope) '87
*W. C. Sealey (Lake Waccamaw) '87
*Mark Sink (Peace) '87

Ordination:

Robert Allen (Westside) '85
Daniel Deaton (Tabor City) '85
Larry Gilliam (New Hope) '86
*Larry Knowles (Riegelwood) '87
*Roy Walker (Trinity) '87

Library:

Mrs. Anna Belle Lane (Faith) '85
Mrs. Sandra Weavil (Western Prong) '86
*Mrs. Johnny Burleson (Trinity) '87

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

Evangelism:
Ray Lundy (Fair Bluff) '85
*Charles Leggett (Tabor City) '86
*Martin Benton (Delco) '87
*Hughet Godwin (China Grove) '87
*Bill Gore (Whiteville First) '87

Time, Place, Preacher:
*Mark Sink (Peace) '85
Ralph Gore (Brunswick) '86
*Guy FormyDuval (Nakina) '87

Resolutions:
Mrs. Elaine Blake (Chadbourn) '85
R. E. Carter (Clarendon) '86
*Mrs. Nancy Marlowe (Sweet Home) '87

Nominating:
Harold Hughes (Faith) '85
*Gene Hickman, Sr. (Lennon's Cross Roads) '85
Elmore Strickland (Cheerful Hope) '86
*Terry Bryant (Riegelwood) '87

Constitution:
Sidney Britt (Mount Zion) '85
Tom Ray (Trinity) '86
*Sankey Robinson (Whiteville First) '87

Seminary Extension:
Ray Yarborough (New Hope) '85
Merlin Boone (Cherry Grove) '85
J. Wade Fowler (Corinth) '86
Roger Gilbert (Whiteville First) '86
*Mrs. Polly Justice (Trinity) '87

Trustees:
Keith Blake (Chadbourn) '85
Gene Ezzell (Trinity) '86
*Royce Butler (Nakina) '87

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

Building and Grounds:
Boyd Thompson (Calvary) '85
J. L. Dew (Delco) '86
*Malcolm Mills (Sweet Home) '87

Program:
Mrs. Thetus Hughes (Lake Waccamaw) '85
Ward Shaw (Piney Forest) '85
Mrs. Elaine Blake (Chadbourn) '86
*Roger Gilbert (Whiteville First) '87

Memorials:
*Mrs. Bertie Lanehart (Western Prong) '85

Baptist Colleges:
*J. C. FormyDuval (Nakina) '85

Baptist Children's Homes:
*Ms. Ruby Spivey (Chadbourn) '85

Homes for the Aged (Retirement Homes):
*Larry Ezzell (Brunswick) '85

Christian Life Council:
*Travis Newton (Smyrna) '85

Baptist Hospital:
*Robert Shaw (Evergreen) '85

Deacons' Representative:
*Frank Stanley (Tabor City) '85

Annuity Board Representative:
*David Anderson (Faith) '85

Cooperative PRogram Representative:
*David Todd (Delco) '85

Christian Social Ministries:
*Lewis Howard (Hinson's Cross Roads) '85

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

Denominational Literature:
*Mrs. Shirley Hendrix (Cherry Grove) '85

Youth Representative:
*Tom Carringer (Trinity) '85

Churchmanship Representative:
*Daniel Deaton (Tabor City) '85

Pastor/Staff Self Enrichment:
*Roger Gilbert (Whiteville First) '85

Energy Consultant:
*Larry Knowles (Riegelwood) '85

Respectfully submitted,

Committee on Committees

C. Frank Stanley, Jr., Chairman
Rev. R. E. Carter
Ms. Marvannan David
Terry Bryant
Mrs. Linda McKeithan

THE BIBLICAL RECORDER

History was made in July, 1984, when the BIBLICAL RECORDER, the oldest business in Raleigh, moved into its own debt-free building making it the fourth state paper to have its own building.

The business of the BIBLICAL RECORDER is the Lord's business! Since its founding by Thomas Meredith, the Baptist paper of North Carolina has been committed to the advancement of the Kingdom of God. Its purpose is to inform, indoctrinate, enlist, inspire, and provide a forum for unity in the fellowship as we fulfill the Great Commission.

The subscription rates to the RECORDER will NOT be raised for the third consecutive year. We want to make it as easy as possible for churches to send the paper to every family since all Baptists need to be kept well informed with a source of news that can be trusted. The BIBLICAL RECORDER strives to maintain a forum where differing views can be expressed in its attempt to serve all the Baptists of our fellowship.

"Every true Baptist believes a faithful RECORDER reader" is a goal for the paper. As we continue our march toward making the BIBLICAL RECORDER the best state paper in the Southern Baptist Convention, we request your continued prayers, support, and readership.

Respectfully submitted,

Shirley Hendrix

CHRISTIAN LIFE AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS

Of the many areas covered by Christian Life and Public Affairs, three (3) are of utmost concern to us this year.

1. Political Involvement: Baptist people should encourage each other to register and to vote in our elections. At the same time it is imperative that we refrain from identifying with any part or candidate as being 'The only Christian way to vote". No candidate or party should be endorsed in or by our churches, either directly or by implication. However, we should encourage full personal participation by individuals in the political process.

2. Hunger and disaster relief: Columbus County Baptists are to be greatly commended for your generous response to the tornado devesation which came to our neighboring counties. When the needs arose, the world found out that your heart is big and filled with compassion.

3. Family life: We continue to be in need of learning about and using the many resources available to us here in our own county and through our state convention.

Respectfully submitted,

Travis Newton

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

The Sunday School and Evangelism Departments of our association teamed up for a special meeting. On November 1, 1983, we observed a Sunday School Evangelism Conference with 145 people present representing 24 churches.

On February 23, 1984, our Vacation Bible School faculty, under the leadership of Mrs. Lorrine Jones, attended the State VBS Clinic at First Baptist Church, Bladenboro. Our association was represented by a complete team. They later led Associational VBS Clinics on April 5 at Cerro Gordo and April 10 at Lake Waccamaw. These meetings were well attended.

A Small Sunday School Pastor/Director Workshop was held at Cheerful Hope Baptist Church on April 30, 1984.

Key Leadership Night, May 29, 1984, found the Associational Sunday School Department promoting Adult Evangelism. The emphasis was on reaching median adults (age 30-60). There were 29 present with 14 churches represented.

Your ASSIST Director has conferred with two churches to aid and assist them in the work of the Sunday School.

ASSIST led in a Curriculum Workshop at First Baptist Church, Delco, on August 9, 1984. Age-group conferences were held for each department of the Sunday School. There were 48 present with 4 churches represented.

On September 11, 1984, ASSIST was to observe Sunday School Leadership Night at Peace Baptist Church. This meeting was re-scheduled for Sunday afternoon, September 16 at 2:30 P. M. The meeting was postponed because of Hurricane Diana. There was 55 present with 6 churches presented.

Director - Rev. Richard Poynor (New Hope)
VBS - Mrs. Lorrine Jones (Trinity)
Adults - Dr. Ray Yarborough (New Hope)
Youth - Rev. Tom Carringer (Trinity)
Children - Rev. Travis Newton (Smyrna)
Preschool -
Homebound - Mrs. Donna Poynor (New Hope)

SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLMENT/ENLARGEMENT CAMPAIGN, 1985

To make 1985 a year of blessing and growth, please help us by: (1) clearing your calendar to give the following dates #1 priority for Sunday School; (2) leading your church to become involved in the campaign.

Presentatin Meeting - February 19, 1985
Preparation Meeting #1 - April 9, 1985
Preparation Meeting #2 - July 23, 1985
Preparation Meeting #3 - September 10, 1985
Campaign Week - September 14-22, 1985

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT
Continued

(During the year 1983-84 the following men led Sunday School Enrolment/Enlargement Campaigns in other associations throughout our State Convention: Dr. Merlin Boone, Mr. Doug Jones, Rev. Travis Newton, Rev. Richard Poynor and Dr. Ray Yarborough.)

Respectfully submitted,

Richard R. Poynor
Associational Sunday School Director

MUSIC COMMITTEE REPORT

We held one music clinic this past year. It was held at New Hope Baptist Church on Satuday, October 1, 1983. The theme was entitled "Great Things" and was for grades one through six.

There was a good group that attended. It was divided into three classes. After the classes were completed, Jim Smith and Mrs. Ramona Lord led all the pupils in a combined concert of music they had learned.

We hope to have a greater year this coming year and hope to branch out in a wider field in music training.

Respectfully submitted,

Herman Goodin
Chairman, Music Committee

BAPTIST RETIREMENT HOMES

Through many special individuals, blessings of great significance are coming to the Baptist Retirement Homes.

You - North Carolina Baptists, gave to the HOMES through your Cooperative Program, North Carolina Mission offering, and special gifts. This support covered 77% of the Homes' benevolent care ministry and made up 26.3% of the Homes total income.

Currently, approximately 40% of the residents in the five Homes are able to cover their full cost of care. Ten percent of the nursing care residents underwrite their full cost of care. As you can see, your mission gifts are vital to the benevolent care ministry of the Retirement Homes.

For the first time in the Homes' history, a statewide capital funds campaign has been undertaken. Gifts to the "A CALL TO REMEMBER" campaign are going to be used to renovate and update the Hayes Home facility.

The growing segment of our population is the 65 plus group. As Baptists we want an effective ministry with this growing group of individuals. Through your continued support, the work of trustees and continued effective service of the staff, we can be and must be the hope for many older people in our state.

Truly, our future is as bright as the promises of God himself and the love and support that you give as North Carolina Baptists.

Respectfully submitted,

Larry Ezzell

NORTH CAROLINA/TOGO
Continued

Other parts of the Partnership are addressing other needs. The boys at Camp Caraway this summer gave their offerings to provide inoculations for Togolese children. Volunteers will go to give those shots. The Foreign Mission Board has bought a well drilling rig and plans to drill deep wells in many villages. Volunteers will operate the rig and teach the Togolese to use it. Plans are being drawn to build a bridge across the Mono River, which cuts Upper Ogou off from the rest of Togo during the rainy season. Volunteers have worked to plan the bridge and will help to build it. Literacy training will enable the people to help themselves and will open the Bible to them. Volunteers will go as literacy teachers.

Currently, construction is well under way on the Community Learning Center. Six huts have been completed and four more are under construction. Two missionary families, who will continue to live in Moretan, have moved to that area. A shome for one family has been completed; a second in under way.

At the time of this writing (September 5), twenty-six North Carolina Baptists have been to Togo as volunteers. They are:

NAME	HOME TOWN	JOB ASSIGNMENT
Charles Bacot	Charlotte	carpenter
Albert Barnett	Leicester	bridge engineer
Jim Canterberry	Cary	hydrologist
Reginald Ferguson	Charlotte	carpenter
Rick Hoyle	Boone	carpenter
Bob Logan	Valdese	carpenter
John and Julia Moore	Greenville	host couple (84-85)
Don Norrington	Boone	carpenter
Ray Pridgen	Drexel	carpenter
John Rice	Cary	hydrologist
Clyde Shuping	Drexel	carpenter
Charles and Ellen Tabor	Winston-Salem	physician and nurse
Peggy Albright	Drexel	nurse
Suzanne Allred	Greenville	cook
Alvin Bowers	Charlotte	carpenter
John Caldwell	Chapel Hill	mason
Bill Currin	Kipling	electrician
Herb Eplee	Charlotte	carpenter
Walter and Jackie Ford	Waxhaw	project coordinator (84-87)
Maylon Frazier	Raleigh	carpenter
Robert and Sue Shaw	Evergreen	carpenter and nurse
Lee Snuggs	Wadesboro	dozer operator

You can have a part in the Partnership. During the next three years, we will be looking for nearly 200 volunteers. You may be one of the ones we need. If you are not able to go, you may be able to give. The Hunger Relief Fund of the Foreign Mission Board pays for the hunger-related parts of the project. The NC/Togo Partnership Fund of the Baptist State Convention assists volunteers who are unable to pay all of their own expenses and finances part of the administrative and promotional costs. While some can go as volunteers and many can help financially, all can undergird the Partnership through prayer. Please pray for career missionaries in Togo, for North Carolina volunteers, for the new Togolese

NORTH CAROLINA/TOGO PARTNERSHIP

Partners in Wholeness, the NC/Togo Partnership, is well into the first of its three-and-a-half years. Begun with the vote of the Baptist State Convention last November, the Partnership involves North Carolina Baptists, the Foreign Mission Board, Baptist missionaries in Togo, and the Togolese Baptist Association.

Togo is a small country on the coast of West Africa, located next to Ghana and near Nigeria. It is fairly typical of countries in the Third World, those developing countries where there is much poverty and many needs.

The Partnership is located in the Upper Ogou Region of Togo. This is a very poor area, where life expectancy is only 38 years and 50% of the children die before they reach the age of six.

Several factors contribute to this situation. Water is a major problem. Women, whose responsibility it is to obtain water, often must walk many miles to a well or stream. Sadly, even that water is usually contaminated with parasites. During the dry season, which lasts for six months, water may not be available for crops or animals. Water problems are compounded by poor nutrition. While adequate quantities of good may be available, the traditional Togolese diet is very high in starch and low in protein.

All of this is made even worse by the lack of basic health information or simple medical care. Common childhood diseases, which would be easily thrown off my most American children, can be fatal in Togo. Many of these diseases, like measles, could be prevented by inoculation, if only they are available. Poor health information leads to more deaths. For example, the traditional "cure" for children diarrhea is to withhold fluids. This seemingly logical response, of course, speeds dehydration and hastens death.

The Upper Ogou is also an area with deep spiritual needs. The primary religion is animism or fetishism, the traditional worship of many spirits. Until last fall, the only other Christian 2ork in the region was at two small Catholic missions. Even the Moslems, strong in many parts of Africa, have only one small mosque in the area. Last fall, Baptist missionaries and Togolese Baptist preachers led an evangelistic crusade in which nearly 400 were saved and six preaching stations were established. In an area in which the primary religion is based on fear, the good news of Christ, with its message of hope and joy, is falling on fertile ground.

The Partnership seeks to address these many needs. Central to the project is a Community Learning Center, now being built at the cillage of Moretan. This center will consist of a classroom, eating facilities, and several traditional Togolese huts, built of mud bricks with thatched roofs. The huts will have small, though significant, improvements. For example, the windows will be screened. John Moore, former director of missions in the South Roanoke Association, is serving, with his wife, Julia, as the host for North Carolina volunteers in Lome, the capital city. He reported what happened at the partnership site when some of the first local people saw the window screens. "They had never seen screens," he wrote, "but recognized immediately what they were for, and expressed amazement that now one could have the breeze blow through the house without the flies."

The Community Learning Center, when completed, will be a site to which people from nearby villages can come to learn better nutrition, improved agricultural techniques (such as crope rotation), simple health educationa, and other ways to imrpove their lives and health. It will also be a place where the Togolese can experience the love of God as it is expressed in word and in deed by North Carolina volunteers and others working there.

NORTH CAROLINA/TOGO
Continued

Baptists, for the people of Upper Ogou, and for all in North Carolina who work to make the Partnership possible. Indeed, we are co-laborers with Christ, partners in bringing wholeness to the people of Togo, ministering in the name of the One who seeks to make each of us whole.

CHURCH TRAINING REPORT

Church Training, sponsored 'M' Night in November with Jim Simpson as our special speaker, with a group from Wingate College.

We experienced a good turn out and a time of spiritual uplifting at Chadbourn Baptist Church that night.

We encourage you to seek to strengthen your Church Training program. If you don't have Church Training, considering starting one.

If you want to have a more effective Sunday School, WMU, Brotherhood or evangelism program, use Church Training to train your leaders of these areas.

Repsectfully submitted,

David Anderson

ANNUITY BOARD REPORT

As Annuity representive for Columbus Association I want to encourage the leaders of your church to review their insurance protection of the church plant, parsonage and staff.

Some questions to consider:

1. Are we protected against theft?
2. Are we protected sufficiently against fire?
3. If pastor is disabled, does church carry long-term disability for him?
4. Is staff covered by an adequate health insurance plan?
5. Does church carry a life insurance policy for pastor and the annuity retirement program?

Church leaders, do yo uknow what your church coverage is? Don't wait until it is too late.

Thank you,

David Anderson

PEMBROKE AREA FAMILY SERVICE CENTER REPORT

Odum Home has experienced some very positive program growth with the addition of two positions that will greatly enhance our work with hurting children and their families. These are an education coordinator and a recreation coordinator. The positions are filled by two qualified people who have already extended the scope of what we are able to offer.

We are in the process of renovating the Main building at Odum Home to give us a greater office space and a small area to accomodate overnight guests. We will have a combination library/resource room which will house materials for both children and staff as well as the computers that are used for small group meetings such as a parenting support groups and communication workshops.

Odum Home is the site of a pilot project that will link the geographic areas of the Baptist Children's Homes by computer. This system will allow office automation telecommunications and electronic filing to create a more efficient operation.

We continue to praise the Lord for the faithfulness of the Baptists of North Carolina who have supported this child care ministry for almost one hundred years with their prayers, concern, understanding and financial resources.

This is the nearest home to our Columbus Association and I encourage you to visit Odum Home and all of our Children's Homes of North Carolina.

Remember, CHILDREN ARE IN NEED. Their bodies and spirits are being corrupted. They are abused, neglected and lonely. Where? Chile? Africa? Mexico? NO! Right here in North Carolina, the Vacationland of America. Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina are committed to responding to children who are orphaned and in need.

Please help carry out this great work. I'm willing to talk to our people concernin the needs of our Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina.

Respectfully submitted,

Ruby Spivey

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

The national theme for 1983-84 was "Partnership in Prayer and Ministry". The Columbus Association WMU theme was "Do You Really Care?" These themes inspired us as we planned our mission activities during the year.

Cherry Grove, WMU Director Shirley Hendrix and Pleasant Plains, WMU Director Alice Harrelson, were the host churches for our "Get-Ready" Conferences in September. During November/December, WMU promoted the Foreign Mission Books, Week of Prayer and the Lottie Moon Christmas offering.

A Mission Action Workshop was held at Faith Baptist Church on the Big "A" Club on November 10.

During the year the folloiwng mission projects were carried out with the support of the local WMUs. North Carolina Correctional Center for Women, Raleigh; Columbus County Shelter Workshop Christmas party and the tornado's relief fund.

The Brotherhood/WMU sponsored the mission book 'MAN OF THE WAY - Edwin Dozier of Japan", at Calvary Baptist Church on January 17. The book was taught by Rev. Richard Poynor. During the convocation, the Glenn Evans family brought the special music. Cameron Norris was honored as the State Layman of the Year.

WMU Focus Week was highlighted with a BW/BYW Prayer Breakfast, Whiteville First, hosted by the Literacy Council. Miss I. Ruth Martin was guest speaker. The mission book 'HOLDING THE ROPES" was taught by Yvonne Lewis at Piney Forest.

During February/March the WMU promoted the Homs Mission books, Week of Prayer and the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering.

WMU also promotes World Hunger Day, Days of Prayer, Associational Emphasis, Cooperative Program and the State Mission offerings.

The State Annual Meeting was held in Fayetteville on March 16-17. The Columbus WMU was recognized during the session as a Distinguished WMU for 1982-83. The Columbus meeting was held at Union Valley Church. Rev. and Mrs. Robert Hensley were the guest speakers. The Hensleys are on leave from Panama.

A Prayer Retreat was held at North Carolina Baptist Assembly, Caswell, May 18-19, sponsored by the BW/BYW. Betty Jo Hensley and Dr. Ray Lundy were the guest speakers.

Key Leadership this year was held for all age-level directors/leaders. The Brotherhood/WMU held a joint session during the meeting. Dr. M. L. Boone, representing Brotherhood, spoke to the members on 'More Than An Offering".

Six associational council members attended WMU Week at Ridgecrest. Rachel Arnette, Bobbi Bass, Jackie Fleming, Virginia Hickman, Jackie Lennon and Faye Pierce. Other members attending were Shirley Carter, Myra Godwin and Elizabeth Walters. Three members attended Centrifuge, Ernestine McLelland, Connie Hinson and Michelle Wilson.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

Ten associational council members attended the state workshop in August. All age-level organizations were represented. Members attending were Rachel Arnette, Linda Duncan, Linda Harrelson, Frances Horton, Jackie Lennon, Faye Pierce, Lillie Sealey, Lettie Sharpe, Sandra Stanley and Ruth Whitley.

Two scholarships wer given by the WMU, $150.00 each. The recipients were Miss Marie Simmons, Cheerful Hope and Miss Michelle Ward, Sweet Home.

The Girls in Action held their Day Camp at Whiteville First on March 31.

The Mission Friends held their Day Camp at Cedar Grove on April 7.

The Acteens Banquet was held at Trinity on April 14.

The Acteens from Union Valley attended the National Acteens Convention (NAC) in Fort Worth, Texas. Members attending were Carol Bullard, Edie Canupp, Samantha Fisher, Chanel Ward. Leaders, Pauline Berry and Sue Skipper.

Columbus had four girls serving as counselors this summer at Mundo Vista. Kathy Langston, Clarendon; Crystal Lennon, Lennon's Cross Roads; Jan Poynor, New Hope and Susan McKeithan, Trinity.

The Columbus Association is very fortunate to have such dedication from these young people and their leaders/parents.

We give thanks to the Lord for His guidance this year. We give Him all the praise for what we have accomplished in His service. We thank our members, our pastors and our churches for their support as we have become partners in missions with God and our fellow man. WMU has a vision. Will you share it with us? "Come Grow With Us" in 1984-85.

Respectfully submitted,

Faye S. Pierce

DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS REPORT

During the year 1983-84 I have had the opportunity to be in special services in over half of our churches and this was in addition to working with Delco for six months.

Hopefully all of you were aware Delco gave the association $600. monthly, which was listed last year and this year as pulpit supply funds for my work there.

In recent years we have had an extremely large number of turn overs in pastorates. In fact fourteen of our churches has either called new pastors or lost their pastor within the past year. Some may say so what, we still have less turn over than most churches in North Carolina, which average less than a twenty-four month pastorate. Not only are we experiencing more turn over now than we have experienced in the previous six years, but our churches are going longer periods without a pastor. Churches that change pastors often and then have vacant pulpits for extended periods suffer. Often some of the churches see the vacant pulpit as an opportunity to save money and they may save a few dollars, but in the long run they will suffer spiritually.

Let me say just a word about saving money. Since one's gift to God is one of the two ways they express their love for God, one robs oneself of a spiritual blessing if they do not give cheerfully. We might also note that helping care for the slary of a pastor makes it possible for you to be ministering even when you are on your job. Being a full time Christian worker and supported by Christians of a like faith, I realize it is hard for church members to fully understand the work of a minister. The pastor, staff worker or secretary may often give you valuable time that you never consider costing anyone. But we must remember these workers spend hours each week hearing the problems of individuals who would have no one to turn to unless you provided this ministry. Their work and the value of their work can be evaluated only by what you consider the worth of an individual's life.

In recent months our Sunday School ASSIST team has been asked twice to lead conferences on Sunday School growth. This has pleased me very much, because I am a firm believer that our Sunday School is vital to church growth. Unless we have growth in our Sunday School we will seldom experience growth in our other organizations. In one publication I read where a church that used revivals as a means of growth would have only 5% of their converts a year later unless they enrolled them in Bible study. If they enroll their new members in Sunday School they will keep 55%.

Note if you will the figures in the above paragraph and then you will see just how important Sunday School really is. Sunday School is a mission arm of the church in the truest sense in that it can reach out to anyone and offer them an opportunity for fellowship and spiritual growth.

Once people are reached through Sunday School and make a commitment of their lives they need to be enrolled in Church Training. Last fall and again this fall our Church Training is offering an exceptional study in the area of doctrine. It's important that each Christian be able to verbalize what they believe and Church Training offers this help.

DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS REPORT

If your church does not have a training program, I want to urge you to get one started as quickly as possible. Many church leaders report that it is difficult to get leaders to serve. In the Lyle Shaller series of books, one of the authors points out that 39% more of our congregation would volunteer to work in our churches if training was available. Since trained leaders make better workers and are much quicker to respond to a challenge we need to equip every person possible for a leadership role in our churches.

In most of our congregations we have ample raw talent. It is just a matter of providing training. Our association is full of talent and I believe if churches will give our associational leadership the opportunity you will find those among us who can develop any type of skills one might possess.

I want to express appreciation to each and every one who gave additional help to make the associational work more along smoothly during my six week's absence.

Pray for your staff and especially me that God might use us as a catalyst to help our associational program become all that God would have us be.

Last of all I want to urge each church to prayerfully consider becoming a part of the Sunday School Enlargement/Enlistment progran planned in September, 1985, The World Missions Conference in 1986 and the Good News America Simultaneous Revivals, March 16 - April 27, 1986. Encourage your church to participate and you will be blessed I'm sure.

Respectfully submitted,

Walter Jones

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COLUMBUS BAPTIST ASSOCIATON

1 Secretary's Desk and Chair
2 IMB typewriters
1 stuffed chair
1 office desk
5 folding tables
24 metal chairs
1 large screen
1 metal storage cabinet
1 "Tell" Equipment
1 mimeograph machine
3 filing cabinets
1 folder
1 electric stencil maker
4 staple guns (2 un-usable)
2 perculators
1 tape recorder
1 carousel projector
1 tape duplicator
1 video machine
1 camera
1 binder
1 rolling table
1 fireproof vault
2 office chairs
2 tape films
2 metal book cases
1 filmstrip file
1 coat rack
1 Bell and Howell projector
1 speaker
1 overhead projector
2 slide projectors
1 vaccum cleaner
1 paper cutter
2 hold punchers
1 light
2 copiers
1 water cooler
1 office table
2 carousel trays
24 box file folders
17 book transfer files
1 color television set
1 hand truck
1 plain paper copier
1 record player

CONTRIBUTIONS
OCTOBER 1, 1983 - SEPTEMBER 30, 1984

CHURCH	AMOUNT	CHURCH	AMOUNT
Antioch	175.00	Lennon's Cross Roads	1,476.94
Boardman	100.00	Macedonia	300.00
Bolton	00.00	Mount Zion	200.00
Brunswick	320.09	Nakina	300.00
Calvary	384.00	New Hope	1,691.56
Cedar Grove	626.00	Oak Dale	225.00
Cerro Gordo	1,885.13	Peace	200.00
Chadbourn	1,180.00	Piney Forest	600.00
Cheerful Hope	660.00	Pleasant Hill	1,015.55
Cherry Grove	2,239.52	Pleasant Plains	300.00
China Grove	500.00	Porter Swamp	1,031.42
Clarendon	1,000.00	Riegelwood	3,363.06
Corinth	150.00	Smyrna	2,527.16
Delco	1,818.56	Sweet Home	765.00
Evergreen	1,000.00	Tabor City	3,000.00
Fair Bluff	1,500.00	Trinity	6,193.67
Faith	174.80	Union Chapel	00.00
Forest Lawn	300.00	Union Valley	600.00
Friendly Chapel	00.00	Western Prong	1,852.00
Gapway	100.00	Westside	600.00
Hallsboro	1,557.00	White Marsh	425.00
Hinson's Cross Roads	750.00	Whiteville First	4,045.87
Iron Hill	200.00	Whiteville West	270.11
Lake Waccamaw	2,234.32	Williamson's Cross Roads	650.00
	Grand Total	$ 50,486.76	

FINANCIAL REPORT

OCTOBER 1, 1983 - SEPTEMBER 30, 1984

Receipts:		
Balance, October 1, 1983	$ 5,323.08	
Associational Missions	50,486.76	
Office Supplies	1,588.15	
Minutes	610.00	
Books	37.48	
Brunswick Christmas	564.06	
Brunswick Prison	30.00	
Christians for Evangelistic West Virginia	340.00	
Convention Expense	180.00	
Counselors	90.00	
From Savings	1,500.00	
Histories	10.00	
Key Leadership	71.00	
Lake Ministry	398.47	
Music	13.79	
Pastors' Conference	22.00	
Pastoral Services	3,150.00	
Payroll Tax Refund	1,095.91	
Sales Tax Refund	417.05	
Seminary Extension	7,019.21	
Sunday School/Evangelism	345.00	
Sweetheart Banquet	120.00	
Togo	1,080.84	
Tornado Fund	15,919.11	
Dale Webb	7.00	
West Virginia Building Materials	7,063.06	
West Virginia Summer Worker	615.46	
WMU	526.00	
World Missions Conference	725.00	
Youth Retreat	4,120.00	
Stopped Payments - 2 checks	18.56	
Total Receipts		$ 103,486.99
Disbursements:		
Salary, Director of Missions	11,880.00	
Salary, Office Assistant	9,654.84	
Salary, Treasurer	130.00	
Salary, Clerk	108.00	
Secretary's Insurance	451.75	
Convention Expense	1,156.00	
Social Security - DOM	825.00	
Travel	4,587.12	
House and Utilities	5,727.12	
Hospitalization and Insurance	5,396.94	
Secretary's Social Security	668.79	
Travel, Office Assistant	648.00	

Sunday School	172.21	
Church Training	115.37	
Brotherhood	13.00	
Woman's Missionary Union	926.00	
Church Music	254.78	
Evangelism	100.00	
Visiting Speakers	174.03	
Library	50.00	
Seminary Extension	6,652.56	
Key Leadership Conference	281.90	
Youth	3,986.87	
Regular Prison Work	445.00	
Prison Chaplaincy	2,850.00	
Prison - Brunswick Christmas	446.16	
West Virginia Building Materials	7,063.06	
Togo	1,080.84	
West Virginia Summer Worker	900.00	
Lake Ministry	219.86	
Office Supplies	5,911.65	
Postage	1,499.22	
Contracts and Equipment	6,162.09	
Repairs to Equipment and Building	736.17	
Insurance	177.00	
Utilities	696.47	
Telephone	1,670.64	
Heating Fuel	885.81	
Sweetheart Banquet	120.00	
Contingency Fund	351.42	
Pastoral Services	104.00	
County Fair and Farmers Expo	174.57	
Sunday School/Evangelism	350.00	
Tornado Funds	15,919.11	
Total Disbursements		$ 101,723.35
Balance, September 30, 1984		$ 1,763.64

FINANCIAL STATEMENT
October 1, 1983 - September 30, 1984

Current Assets:			
Cash on Hand (10/1/84 Checking Account)			$ 1,763.64
Savings (Money Market Investment Account)		$ 11,294.36	
Lake Ministry		192.17	
CEWV		1,290.00	
Interest Income		1,132.62	
			13,909.15
Total Current Assets			15,672.79
Fixed Assets			
Office Building (See Note 1)	$ 16,000.00		
Furniture and Equipment	22,515.54		
Lake Ministry Equipment	1,400.00		
Office Supplies	2,500.00		
			42,415.54
Total Assets:			$ 58,088.33
Liabilities:			
CEWV	1,404.39		
Lake Ministry	607.63		
Total Liabilities			2,012.02
Net Worth			$ 56,076.31
Total Liabilities and Net Worth			$ 58,088.33

Note 1

Appraisal of property was made 3-25-83 by Terry Todd of First Investors as recorded in Associational Executive Committee Minutes of 3-28-83.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. Brenda W. Jolly
Treasurer

BROTHERHOOD REPORT

The Columbus Baptist Association Brotherhood has been active for the church year 1984, but we can see where we have not done what we are capable of doing.

Several of our churches have organized Brotherhoods and we have others who are in the process of getting underway.

We have our officers for the 1985 church year in place. Craven Sealery will be our Royal Ambassador Director and Rev. Leroy Ward, our Baptist Men's Director. We are looking for great things to happen in these two departments.

We are organizing a team to operate the disaster van who will be training for that jon in a training session that will be held at Caraway.

If you are not already an active part of Brotherhood in your church, could I encourage you to take part in a very important mission effort that your church is a part of. The Brotherhood.

Respectfully submitted,

Jack Strickland

MISSIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

The associational year began with the Missions Committee working on a booth for the Columbus Baptist Association at the 1983 Merchants and Farmers Exposition which was held November 10-12 in Whiteville. The booth was well received, especially the video presentations on the Foreign Mission Board and the chaplaincy program at the Brunswick Prison Unit. This booth gave the association exposure to a diverse group of people.

On November 28, the Missions Committee met at the Good Shepherd Home to approve the Rev. Wade Fowler as chaplain for the Brunswick Prison Unit located south of Whiteville. He would receive compensation for part-time work in this ministry.

Soon after January 1, 1984, the Missions Committee began to work on the West Virginia Mission project of building a church in Inwood, West Virginia. Emphasis was placed on more churches and more people involving themselves in this type of mission work. The Missions Committe began discussing plans for a World Missions Conference to be held in 1986.

On Wednesday, March 28, tornadoes made a path through North Carolina causing millions of dollars of destruction to churches, homes, and businesses from Maxton to Ahoskie. The Missions Committee worked with the associational council encouraging churches to help financially with the losses suffered by so many people. The Missions Committee sponsored a large group of men and boys across the association who spent Saturday, April 14, cleaning up the Gray Pond Baptist Church located between Maxton and Laurinburg. The Tornado Relief Fund for our association totaled $15,919.11.

Beginning Memorial Day, the Missions Committee sponsored a Sunday morning worship service at Dupree's Landing on Lake Waccamaw and it continued until Labor Day. The average attendance was 40 adults and children and the offering received has been designated to the Good Shepherd Home, the Prison Ministry, the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering, and the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering. This ministry has been going on for many years!

The Missions Committee spent much of the summer enlisting people for the West Virginia Mission project. Between 80 and 90 people from our association worked July 8-14 at Inwood, West Virginia, building the church for South Berkeley Baptist congregation. $7,063.06 was given from our churches for this project. A new ministry with the West Virginia project was the employment of Darryl Truesdale as our student summer missionary for the South Berkeley Baptist Church. This is exciting work and the site of Sutton, West Virginia has been secured for the summer of 1985.

A booth was set up at the Columbus County Fair September 24-29 by the Missions Committee. Literature on the association and the ministries of the Southern Baptist Convention was available for fairgoers!

The dates for the World Missions Conference are January 19-24, 26-31, 1986.

The members of the Missions Committee are excited about the mission work taking place in Columbus County. Beyond the Lake Waccamaw Ministry, Prison Ministry, West Virginia missions, is the ministry with the Literacy Council and promoting the work of the Good Shepherd Home.

Missions is helping others in Jesus' name. Matthew 25:35-40 is the words of Jesus speaking about helping others. My pryaer is that we, of the churches in the association, will read these verses again and work together to meet needs around us in order for God's Kingdom on earth to grow and grow!

Dennis N. Bazemore, Chairman
Missions Committee

REOLUTIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

Brother Moderator - Messengers to the One Hundred and Eightieth Annual Session of the Columbus Baptist Association.

In response to a referral from the Executive Committee dealing with a resolution adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention which involved tobacco and the ordination of women.

This committee, in light of Article IV ("The Association shall have no power whatsoever to infringe upon the right of the churches. It may advise or recommend matters to usefulness for their adoption and guidance but cannot bind them in any way. All the churches constituting the Association remain sovereign and independent bodies and unit only that they may more effectively promote the causes of Christ throughout the world.) of our Associational Constitution feels that any resolution from this committee concerning the afore mentioned subjects would infringe on the autonomy of the local church and according to the constitution the association does not have that authority. The association cannot dictate polity to the local church.

Be it therefore resolved that the Columbus Baptist Association seek to minister the Gospel and shun division and diviciveness while..."advancing the Redeemer's Kingdom throughout the earth."

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On behalf of the messengers and visitors of the Columbus Baptist Association we want to express our appreciation to the Tabor City Baptist Church for its hospitality in making their facilities available for our annual meeting and especially do we want to express a hearty thanks to those who prepared the delicious meal that met our physical needs.

To the pastor, Dan Deaton, to Mr. Jim Smith, the musicians and the choir, we express our appreciation to you for the many ways you have contributed to make this meeting a worshipful and meaningful event.

To each messenger we express our gratitude to you for giving this important time by attending and taking part in this work of the association which is an important part of God's work in our county.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. Elaine Blake
Rev. S. C. Davis
Rev. R. E. Carter, Chairman

PRISON CHAPLAINCY MINISTRY

This is a growing, rewarding, difficult ministry to the inmates at the Columbus Correctional Unit. Inmates are being saved, lives are changed and hope and trust are restored to hopeless and distrusting souls. Attitudes toward God, self and others are drastically changed. Two inmates have responded to the call to preach.

Some inmates have turned down honor grade in order to remain at this unit because of the personal help made available. Others have made requests to remain at Columbus Unit because of the Chaplain Program, Bible study, and worship opportunities offered to those who will participate.

May we, as Christians, fully support this ministry. It should be greatly expanded so we can minister to more of the 200 plus inmates in our midst. Pray that our people and churches will see this opportunity and get involved in an expanding ministry to these inmates.

Respectfully submitted,

J. Wade Fowler, Chaplain
Columbus County Unit

MODERATOR'S REPORT

During the past year there was a rapid turn over of pastors in our association. There may be a need for a liaison between the pastor and the church. This committee could be composed of three or four deacons. This committee could bring concerns of the church to the pastor and serve as a sounding board for personal and church concerns of the pastor. Tension resulting from misunderstandings that lead to conflict or termination could be avoided.

Respectfully submitted,

Bernard Lennon

OUR BELOVED DEAD

Antioch
Mrs. Mary Duncan

Bolton
Mrs. Colon Godwin

Cerro Gordo
Mrs. Alberta Wallace
Mrs. Jeanette Fowler
Mrs. Minta Floyd
Memory Gause
Mrs. Anna Pearl Stewart

Chadbourn
Miss Mattie Carr
Manly G. Floyd
Stephen Friedman
Mrs. Cornelia Bullock
John A. Thompson
Mrs. Lillie Elliott

Cherry Grove
Edison Lancaster
Early Sealey

China Grove
E. L. Soles
Ferd Hinson

Corinth
Mrs. Hilda Bowen
Bailey Britt (Deacon)
Bessy Edmunds

Delco
Charlie Allen
George Becker

Fair Bluff
Mrs. Emily Powell
Bardin Collins
Webster Worley
John C. Townsend
Mrs. Ira Waddell

Forest Lawn
Cedo Wright
Zeno Ray
Paul Mills

Hallsboro
Ernest Pope
Weldon Pierce
Mrs. Mortie Tedder
Mrs. Bessie Pierce
Mrs. Dora Thompson
Mrs. Ethel P. Sasser

Hinson's Cross Roads
Mrs. Ethel Meares

Iron Hill
Mrs. Annie Mae Fowler

Lake Waccamaw
Robert Davis
Melvin McPherson
Mrs. Carlotta Flynn
R. F. Mickey (Deacon)

Macedonia
Mrs. Dolly Williamson
Garney Brown
Rossie Brown

OUR BELOVED DEAD

- Mount Zion
  - Ed Horne
  - Alton Mullis
  - Ruffin Shaw
  - Howard Heustess

- New Hope
  - Mrs. Lizzie White
  - Walter Stephens
  - J. Frank Merritt
  - Mrs. Gladys Wilson
  - Thurston Watts
  - Clayton Hayes
  - Donald Ray McQueen

- Piney Forest
  - John Yates (Deacon)

- Pleasant Hill
  - Bruce Hughes
  - Wallace White
  - Lizzie Mae Hughes

- Porter Swamp
  - Mrs. Ella Hilburn
  - Mrs. Dovie Strickland

- Riegelwood
  - Mrs. Maud Nance
  - Mrs. Rosa Mingus

- Smyrna
  - Mrs. Cleo Floyd
  - Henry Robinson
  - Mrs. Alma Spivey

- Sweet Home
  - Worth Stanley

- Tabor City
  - Doug Fowler
  - Mrs. Faie Harrelson
  - Miss Kay Corbett
  - B. P. Fowler
  - Mrs. Ethel Ward

- Union Chapel
  - Lonnie Rhodes

- Union Valley
  - Delbert Clewis
  - Junior Fisher

- Western Prong
  - Mrs. Anna Bell Beasley
  - Miss Iva Marie Lennon
  - Mrs. Mattie Jordan
  - Mrs. Mattie Brown
  - Walter Wooten

- Westside
  - Mrs. Judy Small Phipps

- White Marsh
  - Mrs. Callie Sellers
  - Jessie Caffee
  - James Vaughn

- Whiteville First
  - Clyde Gore
  - Edgar Pierce
  - Mrs. Mae Newton
  - Miss Kate Jones
  - Miss Mattie Fowler
  - Paul Cook
  - Sue Whitman
  - Walter Mincey
  - Sadie Norris

OUR BELOVED DEAD

Whiteville West
- Ronnie Walters
- Miss Kay Fisher

Williamson's Cross Roads
- Coy Elliott

ORDAINED MINISTERS

Brunswick
Robert Duncan, P. O. Box 24, Brunswick 28424

China Grove
Fred Barfield, Route 2, Chadbourn 28431
Thomas Fairfax, Route 1, Cerro Gordo 28430
Harry Nobles, Wilmington

Iron Hill
Walter McCumbee, Route 3, Tabor City 28463

Macedonia
Linzy Nance, Route 1, Evergreen 28438
Jan Floyd, Route 1, Evergreen 28438

New Hope
Richard Poynor, Route 1, Box 131-A, Clarendon 28432

Pleasant Plains
Daniel Gore, Route 4, Whiteville 28472

Union Chapel
Vander Simmons, Route 1, Bolton 28423

ORDAINED MINISTERS DURING THE YEAR

Mount Zion
Kenneth Charles Lennon, 2618 Sunset Avenue, Greenville, N. C. 27834

MINISTERS LICENSED DURING THE YEAR

Gapway
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Oak Dale
Miss Cindy Brock, Route 1, Box 198, Whiteville 28472

Pleasant Plains
Russell Long, Route 1, Box 25-A, Nakina 28455

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Ms. Ruby Spivey, P. O. Box 341, Chadbourn 28431

Fair Bluff
David Small, Fair Bluff 28439

Hallsboro
C. C. Pierce, P. O. Box 57, Hallsboro 28442

Hinson's Crossroads
Graham Ellis, Route 1, Box 43, Fair Bluff 28439

Lake Waccamaw
Mrs. Joanne Barnes, Route 1, Box 236, Lake Waccamaw 28450

Nakina
Kenneth Hawes, Route 1, Nakina 28455

New Hope
Linwood Edge, Route 6, Whiteville 28472

Smyrna
C. G. Townsend, Baldwin Woods, Whiteville 28472

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Lake Waccamaw
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Mrs. Inez McKee, Route 5, Box 68, Whiteville 28472

Pleasant Plains
John David Millican, Route 4, Whiteville 28472

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Ms. Sandy Edwards, Route 1, Box 30, Fair Bluff 28439

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Sweet Home
Mrs. Gladys Mills, Route 1, Box 129-A, Clarendon 28432

Tabor City
Mrs. Roxanne Wright, 105 Live Oak Street, Tabor City 28463

Western Prong
Mrs. Evelyn Norton, Route 2, Clarkton 28433

White Marsh
Miss Kathy Baldwin, Route 2, Box 117, Whiteville 28472

ORGANISTS

Antioch - Mrs. Sandy Barden, Route 3, Box 258, Whiteville
Boardman - Diane Wiggins, Route 1, Evergreen
Bolton - Frances Hilburn, Box , Bolton
Brunswick - Marie Evans, P. O. Box 13, Brunswick
Calvary - Mrs. Reta Hinson, Route 3, Box 476, Whiteville
Cedar Grove - Dot Thompson, Route 1, Cerro Gordo
Cerro Gordo - Mrs. Jeanne Hamilton, P. O. 33, Cerro Gordo
Chadbourn - Mrs. Irene Mercer, P. O. Box 473, Chadbourn
Cheerful Hope - Mrs. Linda Ellis, Route 1, Box 66-C, Delco
Cherry Grove - Mrs. Ila Pearl Strickland, 103 Bell Street, Tabor City
China Grove - Mrs. Beulah Smith, Route 2, Chadbourn
Clarendon - Mrs. Meta Mercer, P. O. Box 218, Tabor City
Corinth - Mrs. Jean Butler, Route 3, Chadbourn
Delco - Mrs. Connie Hufham, P. O. Box 128, Delco
Fair Bluff - Mrs. Ann Powell, Fair Bluff
Faith - Mrs. Lena Butler, P. O. Box 944, Whiteville
Forest Lawn - Mrs. Jean Stanley, Route 1, Clarendon
Friendly Chapel - Mrs. Sandie Ward, Route 5, Box 101-B, Whiteville
Gapway - Shelley Small, Route 1, Green Sea, S. C. 29545
Hallsboro - Coy Long, P. O. Box 205, Hallsboro
Hinson's Crossroads - Mrs. Owen Hammond, Route 1, Box 38, Fair Bluff
Iron Hill - Marthaleen Inman, Route 3, Box 38, Tabor City
Lake Waccamaw - Mrs. Elaine Speight, Route 1, Box 363, Lake Waccamaw
Macedonia - Miss Amy Williamson, Route 3, Box 201, Chadbourn
Mount Zion - Stuart Brock, Route 2, Box 161-A, Clarkton
Nakina - Mrs. Carolyn Suggs, Route 4, Whiteville
New Hope - Mrs. Pam Yarborough, Route 5, Box 37AB, Whiteville
Oak Dale - Mrs. Nell Bullard, Route 2, Box 59, Clarkton
Peace - Billy Butler, Route 1, Whiteville
Piney Forest - Mrs. Rachel Arnette, Route 3, Box 260, Chadbourn
Pleasant Hill - Mrs. Deborah Hammonds, Route 1, Box 345, Chadbourn
Pleasant Plains - Mrs. Alice Harrelson, Route 4, Box 153, Whiteville
Porter Swamp - Mrs. Mildred Edwards, Route 1, Box 30, Fair Bluff
Riegelwood, - Mrs. Daneta Justice, Route 2, Box 75-B, Riegelwood
Smyrna - Mrs. Dorothy Long, Route 2, Chadbourn
Sweet Home - Mrs. Betty Greene, Route 1, Box 255, Chadbourn
Tabor City - Margaret Willoughby, P. O. Box 543, Tabor City
Union Chapel - Mrs. Helen Bass, Route 1, Lake Waccamaw
Union Valley - Mrs. Nancy Skipper, Route 5, Box 444, Whiteville
Western Prong - Ted Horton, Route 1, Box 103-A, Whiteville
Westside - Mrs. Penny Hinson, Route 1, Box 48, Tabor City
White Marsh - Mrs. Carolyn Wayne, Route 1, Box 595-L, Lake Waccamaw
Whiteville West - Mrs. Peggie Britt, P. O. Box 58, Hallsboro
Williamson's Cross Roads - Mrs. Cindy Williamson, Route 1, Evergreen

MESSENGERS
Lay-persons

Antioch
Mrs. Vera Fowler, Mrs. Linda Duncan, Mrs. Patricia Ward

Boardman
Christabell Britt, Janice Sanderson

Bolton
Mrs. Wendy Blair, Ruby Simmons, Mrs. Jeanette Godwin, Sheila Godwin, Giles Cain

Brunswick
Mr. and Mrs. Calton Thompson

Calvary
Mrs. Linda Hollifield, Mrs. Linda Harrelson

Cerro Gordo
Mrs. Dot Goodin, Mrs. Lula Price, Mrs. Jeanne Hamilton, Mrs. Elizabeth Williamson, C. E. Williamson, Steve Inman, Mrs. Karen Inman

Cheerful Hope
Mr. and Mrs. Mac Saunders, Mrs. Libby Strickland, D. J. Peterson

Cherry Grove
James Howard Smith, Rudolph Lancaster

China Grove
T. E. Nobles, Wayne White

Clarendon
Elizabeth Walters, Ruby Hughes, Venia Stanley, Wanneda Dudley, Lettie Cribb

Corinth
Mrs. Hazel Fowler, Clemmie Yates, Callie Campbell

Delco
Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Evans, Mrs. Faye Todd, Mrs. Virginia Lane

Fair Bluff
Dempsey Coleman, Leon Small, Annie Britt, Peggy Cashwell, Mr. and Mrs. Bob King, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cutrell, Mildred Small

Faith
Mrs. Rita Anderson, Mrs. Anna Belle Lane

Forest Lawn
Paul Stanley, Ken Nichols, Mrs. Vera Stanley, Mrs. June Nichols

Friendly Chapel
Mrs. Debbie Holcomb, Mrs. Sandie Ward, Maebelle Ward

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Hinson's Crossroads
Mr. and Mrs. Ferrell Hammond, Cornie Shelley, Dewey Haynes

Iron Hill
Tom Inman, James Spivey

Lake Waccamaw
A. D. Peacock, Mrs. Carol Hill, Brenda Lanier, Mary Harrelson, Thetus Hughes, Terry Harrelson, Alfreda Adams, Mrs. Lettie Sharpe, Sue Creech

Macedonia
Mr. and Mrs. Perry Dillard, Mr. and Mrs. James McColskey, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Dudney

Mount Zion
Issac McPherson, Ernie Blackmon

Nakina
Mrs. Cleo Ward, Arnold FormyDuval, Roy Clark, Mrs. Reba FormyDuval, Carl Reeves

New Hope
Rev. and Mrs. Richard Poynor, Mrs. Naomi Hinson, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. White, Jr., Mrs. Mable White, Mrs. Linda Goldston, Mrs. Sarah E. Hedgepeth, J. G. White

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James P. Britt, Nellie Britt, Mae Grainger, Mrs. Carol Brock

Peace
Mrs. Sally Sink, Yvonne Norris

Piney Forest
Helen Moore, Beatrice Yates

Pleasant Hill
Mr. and Mrs. Earl McKeithan, Rosa Belle Bullard, Edna Buffkin

Pleasant Plains
Russell McQueen, Russell Long, Wayne King

Porter Swamp
Luke Green, Lloyd Shepherd, Tillman Knight

Riegelwood
Robbie Bigford, Cameron Norris, Beverly Purvis, Vivian Croom, Elaine Johnson, Evelyn Connor, Terry Bryant

Smyrna
Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hooks, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Sellers, Fred Hyatt, Mrs. Carol Newton

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Sweet Home
Mrs. Judy Ward, Jack Ansback, Willard Simmons

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Union Chapel
A. O. Squires

Union Valley
Mrs. Beth Dyson, Craig Fisher

Western Prong
Mr. and Mrs. Willis Horton, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Collier, Mrs. Agatha Stephenson, Mrs. Audra Smith, Mrs. Clara M. Horton, Mrs. Bertie Lanehart

Westside
Joshua Soles, Viola Fonvielle, Doris Strickland, Don Watts

White Marsh
Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Duncan, Mrs. Leon Lancaster, Mrs. Gladys Powell, Mrs. Lena Penny, Mrs. Vera Byrd, Mrs. Lucille Caffee

Whiteville West
Mrs. JoAnn Todd, Janie and Bobby Wallace

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Mr. and Mrs. Morris Williamson

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEMBERS
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Philip Duncan, Route 4, Box 124-A, Whiteville
Richard Ward, Route 4, Box 140-A, Whiteville

Boardman
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Montgomery Williamson, Orrum

Bolton
Melvin Brown, Box , Bolton
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Brunswick
Gene Stephens, 403 West Williamson Street, Whiteville
Calton Thompson, Route 5, Box 16-B, Whiteville

Calvary
Boyd Thompson, Route 3, Box 461, Whiteville
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Jack Coleman, Route 1, Box 2-J, Delco

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Bobby Floyd, Route 1, Box 135, Evergreen

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Mrs. Mary Miller, Route 2, Box 101, Clarkton

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Oak Dale
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Sam Wyatt, Route 1, Box 262-AA, Whiteville

Piney Forest
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Ward Shaw, Route 2, Box 189, Chadbourn

Pleasant Hill
Edwin Frink, Route 2, Box 16, Chadbourn
Howard Bullock, Route 1, Box 43, Chadbourn

Pleasant Plains
Daniel Gore, Route 3, Box 373-A, Whiteville
William A. Powell, Route 3, Box 394-B, Whiteville

Riegelwood
Dan Williams, P. O. Box 173, Riegelwood

Smyrna
Fred Hyatt, Route 1, Box 369, Whiteville
Cecil Gurkin, Route 5, Box 441, Whiteville

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Jack Ansback, Route 1, Box 139-A, Clarendon

Tabor City
Joe Coleman, P. O. Box 176, Tabor City

Union Chapel
Morris Green, Route 1, Box 224-A, Bolton
James Bass, Route 1, Lake Waccamaw

Union Valley
Henry Fisher, Route 6, Box 376, Whiteville

Western Prong
Martin Benton, Route 1, Box 107-A, Whiteville
R. N. Jordan, Route 2, Box 94, Clarkton

Westside
Joshua Soles, Route 2, Box 9, Tabor City

White Marsh
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Miss Jackie Fleming, Route 6, Box 389, Whiteville

Whiteville West
Mrs. JoAnn Todd, Route 5, Box 357-A, Whiteville
Mrs. Bobby Wallace, Mill Pond Road, Whiteville

TABLE A CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1984
(Month & Day)

Association Columbus

State North Carolina

Director of Associational Missions Rev. Walter S. Jones

Address P. O. Box 157, City Whiteville State N.C. Zip 28472

1—Open Country
2—Village (under 500 pop.)
3—Town (500-2499)
4 Small City (2 500-9 999)

Medium City (10 000-49 000)
5—Downtown
6—Neighborhood
7—Suburban

Large City (50 000 or more)
8—Downtown
9—Neighborhood
0—Suburban

			3	4	5		13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	24	25	26
CHURCHES	PASTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	County	Year organized as a church	Location	Services held twice on Sunday? Y	N	Total Baptisms	Other additions (by letter statement etc.)	Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)	Present resident members	Present nonresident members	Grand total present members	No members received from non Baptist Churches	No members lost to non-Baptist Churches	Value of pastor's home if owned by the church	Total cost for heating, cooling, and lighting	Total church debt at end of this associational year
Antioch	Vernon Williamson, Route 3, Box 201, Chadbourn	Col.	1918	1		X	3	5	5	190	38	228	0	3	0	1,983	23,179
Boardman	David Oldham, Route 3, Box 344, Dillon, S. C. 29536	Col.	1904	1	X		0	2	3	118	40	158	0	0	0	0	0
Bolton	B. T. Tucker, Box 238, Bolton	Col.	1917	2			0	6	5	97	17	114	N	0	52,000	0	36,124
Brunswick	Ralph Gore, Route 4, Box 173-A, Whiteville	Col.	1952	2	X		6	0	6	116	13	129	0	0	0	2,481	22,000
Calvary	George William Hollifield, Route 3, Box 69, Whiteville	Col.	1951	1	X		2	5	21	100	11	111	0	13	0	3,384	0
Cedar Grove	Robert McNair, Route 1, Box 130, Evergreen	Col.	1869	1		X	2	0	5	255	80	335	0	0	0	3,500	8,000
Cerro Gordo	Herman Goodin, Box 159, Cerro Gordo	Col.	1906	2	X		3	3	8	219	98	317	0	0	75,000	6,628	0
Chadbourn	Dennis Bazemore, Fourth at Howard Street, Chadbourn	Col.	1890	3	X		8	10	10	352	135	487	1	1	50,000	9,050	0
Cheerful Hope	Elmore Strickland, Route 1, Box 66-X, Delco	Col.	1839	1	X		3	6	0	84	3	87	0	0	5,000	1,565	0
Cherry Grove	Merlin Boone, Route 1, Box 264, Cerro Gordo	Col.	1810	1	X		7	8	4	350	118	468	0	1	60,000	10,569	0
China Grove	Hughet Godwin, P. O. Box 56, Cerro Gordo	Col.	1890	1	X		11	2	2	167	31	198	2	0	0	2,231	0
Clarendon	R. E. Carter, Box 275, Bladenboro	Col.	1906	1		X	4	3	0	118	103	222	0	0	0	3,786	0
Corinth	J. Wade Fowler, 303 Pireway Road, Tabor City	Col.	1880	1	X		1	0	3	88	23	111	0	0	30,000	80,000	0
Delco	David Todd, Box 199, Delco	Col.	1910	2	X		6	9	5	167	34	203	0	0	75,000	2,513	26,000
Evergreen	Grover Vaughan, Box 146, Evergreen	Col.	1879	2	X		5	2	8	215	42	257	1	0	65,000	5,967	0
Fair Bluff	Ray Lundy, Box 435, Fair Bluff	Col.	1883	3	X		9	14	5	337	148	485	2	0	80,000	350,000	0
Faith	David Anderson, Route 5, Box 61, Whiteville	Col.	1971	1	X		2	2	1	69	10	79	0	0	50,000	1,500	8,969
Forest Lawn	Bervin Ferguson, Box 633, Tabor City	Col.	1955	1		X	3	5	8	158	40	198	0	0	0	2,500	7,549
Friendly Chapel	Elbert Waddell, 1205 Pinkney Street, Whiteville	Col.	1970	7	X		4	0	25	54	0	54	0	0	0	1,200	0
Gapway	Drew Hardee, Route 5, Box 168, Loris, S. C. 29569	Col.	1874	1		X	6	0	2	214	0	214	0	2	0	2,010	0
Hallsboro	Maurice Gilliam, Box 86, Hallsboro	Col.	1876	2		X	4	5	16	269	183	452	0	2	35,000	2,250	0
Hinson's Cross Roads	Lewis Howard, Route 1, Box 42-A, Fair Bluff	Col.	1894	1	X		3	6	4	200	60	260	0	0	50,000	3,000	0
Iron Hill	Earl Lanier, Route 1, Box 250-B, Clarendon	Col.	1828	1	X		7	3	5	116	65	181	0	1	0	3,000	0
Lake Waccamaw	Paul Hill, Route 1, Box 176-B, Lake Waccamaw	Col.	1871	3	X		7	6	7	225	160	385	0	1	60,000	3,481	0
Lennon's Cross Roads		Col.	1797														

TABLE A CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, (Month & Day) 1984

Association Columbus
State North Carolina
Director of Associational Missions Rev. Walter S. Jones
Address P. O. Box 157, City Whiteville State N. C. Zip 28472

1—Open Country
2—Village (under 500 pop.)
3—Town (500-2499)
4—Small City (2,500-9,999)
Medium City (10,000-49,999)
5—Downtown
6—Neighborhood
7—Suburban
Large City (50,000 or more)
8—Downtown
9—Neighborhood
0—Suburban

CHURCHES	PASTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	County	3 Year organized as a church	4 Location	5 Services held twice on Sunday? Y	N	13 Total Baptisms	14 Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)	15 Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)	16 Present resident members	17 Present nonresident members	18 Grand total present members	19 No. members received from non-Baptist Churches	20 No. members lost to non-Baptist Churches	24 Value of pastor's home if owned by the church	25 Total cost for heating, cooling and lighting	26 Total church debt at end of this associational year
Macedonia	Vernon Williamson, Route 3, Box 201, Chadbourn	Col.	1839	1	X		7	2	4	357	0	357	0	1	0	0	0
Mount Zion	Sidney Britt, Route 1, Box 396, Bladenboro	Col.	1837	1		X	4	1	7	144	37	181	0	0	30,000	1,225	0
Nakina	Guy FormyDuval, Route 1, Box 68, Nakina	Col.	1977	1		X	1	1	0	75	0	75	0	0	0	3,300	80,109
New Hope	Ray Yarborough, Route 5, Box 37AB, Whiteville	Col.	1874	1	X		2	7	7	239	223	462	0	1	50,000	5,658	127,000
Oak Dale		Col.	1883	1		X	2	0	2	120	101	221	1	0	0	4,342	0
Peace	Mark Sink, 414 Hunt Street, Whiteville	Col.	1978	1	X		13	14	2	113	0	113	0	0	0	1,410	0
Piney Forest	Carl Hoffner, Route 3, Box 249, Chadbourn	Col.	1869	1		X	0	1	1	84	37	121	0	0	65,000	1,872	0
Pleasant Hill		Col.	1848	1	X		0	0	7	170	68	238	0	0	40,000	1,494	0
Pleasant Plains		Col.	1839	1	X		2	4	1	178	5	183	0	0	50,000	3,500	4,750
Porter Swamp	Tim Moore, Box 98, Cerro Gordo	Col.	1828	1	X		11	6	7	166	99	265	0	0	50,000	4,500	0
Riegelwood	Larry Knowles, Box 246, Riegelwood	Col.	1952	2	X		14	15	9	296	92	388	1	1	59,000	4,200	0
Smyrna	Travis Newton, Route 1, Box 350, Whiteville	Col.	1886	1	X		1	0	7	198	59	257	0	0	50,000	8,106	40,000
Sweet Home	Leroy Ward, Route 3, Box 73-A, Whiteville	Col.	1850	1	X		2	11	7	187	94	281	0	0	0	3,255	1,700
Tabor City	Daniel Deaton, 10 Nesmith Street, Tabor City	Col.	1838	4	X		9	31	22	570	296	866	0	4	90,000	0	0
Trinity	Ray Justice, 310 Vine Street, Whiteville	Col.	1953	4	X		7	27	45	786	100	886	0	3	0	12,350	3,04[illegible]
Union Chapel	J. P. Lanier, Route 2, Tabor City	Col.	1900	1		X	0	6	13	60	47	107	2	0	0	400	0
Union Valley	Ron Settle, Route 5, Box 424-A, Whiteville	Col.	1886	1		X	2	9	2	108	116	222	0	0	65,000	2,000	0
Western Prong	John Stephenson, Route 1, Box 97, Whiteville	Col.	1801	1	X		5	9	9	299	140	439	0	0	73,000	6,050	0
Westside	Tommy Fields, 109 Brown Street, Tabor City	Col.	1970	4	X		3	3	5	131	31	162	0	1	35,000	2,957	75,000
White Marsh	Leon Lancaster, Route 2, Box 259-A, Whiteville	Col.	1765	1		X	0	0	7	210	56	266	0	0	68,000	3,100	0
Whiteville First	Roger Gilbert, 406 North Madison Street, Whiteville	Col.	1852														
Whiteville West	J. P. Williams, Route 6, Box 133, Whiteville	Col.	1959	4		X	13	0	5	56	122	178	0	0	0	1,100	0
Williamson's Cross Roads	J. P. Williams, Route 6, Box 133, Whiteville	Col.	1897	1		X	2	0	3	160	52	212	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS							206	249	330	8,985	3,227	12,213	10	35	1,410,000	573,417	463,427
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS							209	209	440								

TABLE B SUNDAY SCHOOL

YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1984 (Month & Day)

Association Columbus

State North Carolina

Associational Sunday School Director Rev. Richard Poynor

Address Route 1, Box 131-A City Clarendon State N.C. Zip 28432

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	54 Cradle Roll enrolment (Birth to 2 years)	55 Preschool enrolment (Birth through 5 years)	56 Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	57 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	58 Young Adult enrolment—Single (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)	59 Young Adult enrolment—married (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)	60 Adult enrolment (30-59 years)	61 Senior Adult enrolment (60 and over)	62 Adults Away enrolment	63 Homebound enrolment	64 General officers enrolment	65 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	66 Total ongoing Sunday School enrolment	67 Bible Study groups enrolment	68 Total enroled in Bible Study	69 Average weekly Sunday School attendance	70 Number ethnic Sunday School members	71 Church V.B.S enrolment	72 Mission V.B.S enrolment	73 Backyard Bible Club enrolment
Antioch	Willard White, Route 3, Box 354, Whiteville	0	14	17	21	5	12	58	34	0	0	0	0	161	0	161	90	0	65	0	0
Boardman	George Harrison, Route 1, Box 471, Evergreen	7	9	6	18	0	24	39	10	0	0	3	0	116	0	0	79	0	47	0	[illegible]
Bolton	Cleveland Baker, Box 383, Bolton	0	10	9	7	0	13	29	18	0	0	4	0	90	0	90	45	0	0	0	0
Brunswick	Belton Blackmon, Box 38, Brunswick	2	0	19	21	0	0	27	26	0	0	3	0	98	0	98	63	0	53	0	0
Calvary	Boyd Thompson, Route 3, Box 461, Whiteville	0	5	10	10	6	17	9	16	0	0	1	0	73	0	73	45	0	47	0	0
Cedar Grove	Ray Best, Route 1, Cerro Gordo	0	15	9	13	24	0	35	8	0	0	2	0	106	0	0	102	0	112	0	0
Cerro Gordo	Monte Herring, Box 12, Cerro Gordo	0	21	19	29	8	22	50	25	0	0	3	0	177	0	177	104	0	69	0	[illegible]
Chadbourn	Raybon Jenkins, Box 387, Chadbourn	0	28	37	24	8	20	101	19	0	0	7	0	244	0	244	139	0	194	0	0
Cheerful Hope	D. J. Peterson, Route 1, Box 67-B, Delco	3	9	8	11	8	17	9	16	0	0	10	0	91	0	91	55	0	50	0	0
Cherry Grove	Farley Strickland, Route 2, Box 55-B, Tabor City	0	28	27	16	23	18	51	39	0	0	10	0	212	0	212	177	0	105	17	[illegible]
China Grove	Benny Blackmon, Route 2, Box 364, Chadbourn	0	17	21	16	0	12	45	11	0	0	5	0	127	0	127	101	0	84	0	0
Clarendon	Larry Watson, Route 1, Box 233, Clarendon	5	7	15	21	5	5	49	28	0	0	23	0	135	0	135	72	0	45	0	0
Corinth	Tommy Bullard, Route 3, Box 73, Chadbourn	0	1	14	12	3	0	18	31	0	0	11	0	79	0	79	47	0	50	0	0
Delco	Gary Smith, Route 2, Box 110-B, Riegelwood	3	17	15	16	9	19	30	34	0	0	8	0	151	0	151	76	0	81	0	0
Evergreen	Kenneth Bowen, Highway 74, Evergreen	7	6	21	12	24	19	73	26	0	3	5	0	196	9	205	100	0	69	0	0
Fair Bluff	Winfred Richarcson, Box 185, Fair Bluff	0	15	33	26	0	15	70	55	0	0	6	0	220	0	0	126	0	74	0	0
Faith	Randy Horne, Route 5, Box 62, Whiteville	0	5	10	7	4	7	15	3	0	0	2	0	51	0	0	0	0	32	0	[illegible]
Forest Lawn	Selmon Stanley, Route 1, Clarendon	0	12	20	25	5	16	41	15	0	0	4	0	138	0	138	106	0	62	0	0
Friendly Chapel	Mrs. Debbie Holcom, Route 5, Box 102, Whiteville	0	6	4	2	6	5	7	0	0	0	2	0	32	0	32	40	0	0	0	[illegible]
Gapway	J. D. Lovette, Route 1, Box 357, Green Sea 29545	0	15	18	15	8	0	76	0	0	0	0	0	126	0	126	102	0	75	0	0
Hallsboro	Mrs. Brenda Jolly, P. O. Box 1095, Whiteville	2	14	11	11	0	0	31	48	0	18	5	0	140	0	140	65	0	72	0	[illegible]
Hinson's Cross Roads	O. C. Jenkins, Jr., Route 1, Box 49, Cerro Gordo	0	15	25	26	7	15	50	28	0	0	4	0	170	0	170	110	0	68	0	0
Iron Hill		9	0	14	12	0	18	17	24	0	0	2	0	105	0	105	67	0	53	0	[illegible]
Lake Waccamaw	David Lanier, 516 Pine Street, Lake Waccamaw	0	8	24	47	0	33	39	33	0	0	5	0	189	31	220	111	0	57	0	[illegible]
Lennon's Cross Roads																					

TABLE B SUNDAY SCHOOL YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1984
Month & Day

Association
Columbus

State
North Carolina

Association Sunday School Director
Rev. Richard Poynor

Address City State Zip
Route 1, Box 131-A Clarendon N.C. 28432

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Macedonia	J. B. Williamson, Route 1, Box 126, Evergreen	0	20	14	19	12	25	49	23	0	0	18	0	180	0	180	150	0	79	0	0
Mount Zion	Ernie Blackmon, Route 2, Box 182-B, Clarkton	3	11	15	22	17	6	30	19	37	15	4	0	179	0	0	12	0	43	0	0
Nakina	Kenneth Hawes, Route 1, Nakina	6	6	15	21	1	4	32	14	3	1	3	0	106	0	106	78	0	74	0	0
New Hope	Larry Gilliam, Route 3, Box 46-B, Whiteville	0	23	46	39	5	10	95	40	0	0	6	0	264	0	264	126	0	76	0	0
Oak Dale	Worth Smith, Route 1, Box 261-B, Whiteville	0	5	6	19	1	2	34	15	0	0	2	0	84	0	0	0	0	53	0	0
Peace	Ronnie Norris, Route 3, Box 9, Whiteville	0	8	11	17	0	17	29	0	0	0	3	0	85	0	0	54	0	69	0	0
Piney Forest	Hubert McCleney, Route 3, Box 256, Chadbourn	0	4	3	3	8	0	26	28	0	0	0	0	72	0	72	41	0	0	0	0
Pleasant Hill	Alan Buffkin, Route 5, Box 23-W, Whiteville	0	20	17	23	1	6	39	29	0	0	4	0	139	0	139	70	0	67	0	0
Pleasant Plains	Graham Harrelson, Route 4, Box 153, Whiteville	0	8	14	12	6	7	27	29	0	0	3	0	106	0	106	58	0	0	0	0
Porter Swamp	Lloyd Shepherd, Box 41, Fair Bluff	0	17	20	18	13	24	25	23	0	0	4	0	144	0	144	87	0	60	0	0
Riegelwood	Terry Bryant, Box 131, Riegelwood	0	24	27	39	22	27	70	27	0	0	4	0	240	0	240	135	0	120	0	0
Smyrna	D. J. Shelley, Route 1, Box 372, Whiteville	0	17	11	22	0	7	53	31	0	0	3	0	144	0	144	83	0	40	0	0
Sweet Home	E. W. Greene, Jr., Route 1, Box 255, Chadbourn	0	12	20	31	6	10	59	37	0	0	3	0	178	0	178	115	0	143	0	0
Tabor City	Frank Stanley, Box 427, Tabor City	0	57	63	73	23	44	122	64	0	0	5	0	451	0	451	274	0	239	0	0
Trinity	Larry Hewett, Route 5, Box 292-B, Whiteville	0	63	102	54	73	16	219	51	0	0	7	12	597	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Union Chapel	Morris Green, Route 1, Box 224-A, Bolton	0	4	5	10	0	0	16	6	0	0	15	0	56	0	56	35	0	15	0	0
Union Valley	Kenneth Dyson, Box 1297, Whiteville	0	14	8	11	0	18	20	20	0	0	4	0	95	0	0	0	0	56	0	0
Western Prong	R. N. Jordan, Route 2, Box 94, Clarkton	6	13	12	44	20	0	71	64	0	12	6	0	248	0	248	126	0	26	0	0
Westside	Don Watts, Route 1, Box 355-A, Tabor City	5	9	14	7	8	7	31	22	0	0	2	0	105	0	105	92	0	63	0	0
White Marsh	Emerson Duncan, Route 2, Box 69, Whiteville	0	11	12	22	0	18	49	26	0	0	3	0	141	0	141	74	0	54	0	0
Whiteville First																					
Whiteville West	Richard Norris, Route 5, Box 358-A, Whiteville	1	5	6	4	7	1	22	6	0	0	3	0	55	0	55	30	0	47	0	0
Williamson's Cross Roads	Butch Hooks, Route 3, Box 208-A, Chadbourn	4	7	12	10	0	0	30	20	0	0	0	0	83	0	83	71	0	40	0	0
TOTALS		63	635	859	938	376	556	2,117	1,141	40	49	227	12	6,979	40	5,486	3,733	0	2,908	17	127
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS		71	703	911	1,072	367	637	2,089	1,214	33	64	212	203	7,519	9	5,562	3,883	2	3,205	15	134

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TABLE 3 CHURCH TRAINING

YEAR ENDING (Month & Day) 1984

Association

State

Associational Church Training Director

Address City State Zip

CHURCHES	CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	74 Preschool enrolment (5 years and under—not in school)	75 Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	76 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	77 Adult enrolment (18 and over)	78 Equipping Centers enrolment	79 N C M T /Survival Kit enrolment	80 MasterLife enrolment	81 Other enrolment	82 Hold Fire enrolment	83 General officers enrolment	84 Enrolment of missions(s) of church	85 Total Church Training enrolment	86 Baptist Doctrine Study Y=Yes N=No
Antioch	Bobby Fore, Route 4, Box 157, Whiteville													
Boardman	Corbett Fields, Route 1, Box 339, Evergreen	1	0	22	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	65	Y
Bolton		0	0	0	20	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	22	
Brunswick	Ms. Ruby Ransom, Route 6, Box 146, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Calvary		0	2	10	20	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	34	Y
Cedar Grove	Mable Green, Route 1, Box 28, Cerro Gordo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Cerro Gordo	Danny Fowler, Box 314, Cerro Gordo	3	11	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	28	Y
Chadbourn		4	11	5	11	0	0	0	0	12	2	0	45	N
Cheerful Hope		0	0	0	16	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	19	N
Cherry Grove	Jack Strickland, Route 1, Box 208, Cerro Gordo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
China Grove		0	15	11	25	0	28	0	105	22	3	0	209	Y
Clarendon	Larry Mercer, Box 218, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Corinth		7	11	21	30	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	71	Y
Delco	Ms. Nancy Miller, Box 149, Delco	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Evergreen		2	2	2	12	0	15	0	0	0	3	0	36	N
Fair Bluff		4	3	18	7	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	34	N
Faith		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Forest Lawn		0	0	0	0	0	3	5	0	2	0	0	10	Y
Friendly Chapel	Harold Ward, Route 5, Box 101-B, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Gapway		5	4	2	9	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	20	N
Hallsboro	Mrs. Brenda Jolly, P. O. Box 1095, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Hinson's Cross Roads	Francis Floyd, Box 263, Fair Bluff	5	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	22	
Iron Hill		1	19	18	18	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	58	N
Lake Waccamaw		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Y
Lemon's Cross Roads		0	0	0	0	0	24	0	0	0	0	0	24	Y
	TOTALS													
	PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS													

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TABLE C CHURCH TRAINING YEAR ENDING 1984

Assoc. Month & Day

State

Associational Church Training Director

Address City State Zip

CHURCHES	CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	74 Pre-school enrolment (5 years and under—not in school)	75 Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	76 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	77 Adult enrolment (18 and over)	78 Equipping Centers enrolment	79 N C M T /Survival Kit enrolment	80 MasterLife enrolment	81 Other enrolment	82 Hold File enrolment	83 General officers enrolment	84 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	85 Total Church Training enrolment	86 Baptist Doctrine Study Y-Yes N-No
Macedonia		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Mount Zion		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Nakina	Vernon McKeithan, Box 8, Nakina	0	10	10	22	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	45	N
New Hope		7	18	10	27	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	65	Y
Oak Dale		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Peace		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Piney Forest	Bruce Hart, 615 N. Howard Street, Chadbourn	1	2	1	21	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	35	N
Pleasant Hill		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	37	0	0	37	N
Pleasant Plains	John Paul Millican, Route 4, Box 371, Whiteville	2	4	12	17	0	0	0	0	10	2	0	47	Y
Porter Swamp	Cecil Williamson, Route 1, Box 149, Cerro Gordo	7	13	13	33	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	69	Y
Riegelwood		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Smyrna		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	0	0	0	25	Y
Sweet Home		3	11	18	0	0	0	0	78	32	4	0	146	Y
Tabor City	Mike Jones, Box 674, Tabor City	23	39	51	87	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	201	Y
Trinity	Bill Meadows, Route 5, Box 380-B, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Union Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	0	0	0	18	N
Union Valley		15	8	4	0	0	0	0	30	10	4	32	103	N
Western Prong	Mrs. Audra Smith, Route 2, Box 96, Clarkton	0	12	17	30	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	62	N
Westside	Ronnie Graham, 110 Jones Street, Tabor City	10	6	14	40	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	74	Y
White Marsh		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Whiteville First														
Whiteville West		0	0	0	0	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	13	N
Williamson's Cross Roads		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
	TOTALS	100	214	263	493	0	89	5	264	125	49	32	1,635	

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TABLE D MUSIC MINISTRY YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1984

Association Columbus

State North Carolina

Associational Music Director Rev. Herman Goodin

Address P. O. Box 159 City Cerro Gordo State N. C. Zip 28430

CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	87 Preschool enrolment (4-5 years)	88 Children enrolment (6-8 years or grades 1-3)	89 Children enrolment (9-11 years or grades 4-6)	90 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	91 Adult enrolment (18 and over)	92 Handbell ringers enrolment	93 Vocal ensembles enrolment	94 Instrumental ensembles enrolment	95 General music leaders enrolment	96 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	97 Total ongoing Music Ministry enrolment	98 Music Ministry Average Weekly Ongoing Attendance
Antioch	David Barden, Route 3, Box 258-A, Whiteville	5	3	3	12	14	0	0	0	6	0	44	12
Boardman		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bolton		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brunswick	Larry Ezzell, Box 24, Brunswick	0	0	0	4	18	0	2	0	3	0	27	15
Calvary	Tommy Mathews, Route 5, Box 109-D, Whiteville	0	0	0	2	17	0	0	0	3	0	22	20
Cedar Grove	Jerry Greene, Route 1, Box 131-A, Cerro Gordo	0	0	0	0	16	0	0	0	2	0	18	15
Cerro Gordo	Rev. Herman Goodin, Box 159, Cerro Gordo	0	6	2	5	22	0	0	0	5	0	40	25
Chadbourn	Miss Risa Ann Pless, Route 2, Box 184, Chadbourn	0	12	9	0	33	0	0	0	4	0	58	48
Cheerful Hope		2	6	5	0	15	0	1	0	2	0	31	20
Cherry Grove	Richard Williamson, Route 1, Box 263, Cerro Gordo	0	27	0	0	20	0	0	0	3	0	50	27
China Grove	James H. Nobles, 110 Kinlaw Drive, Chadbourn	8	10	0	0	25	0	0	0	4	0	46	20
Clarendon	Mrs. Margaret Hewett, Box 218, Tabor City	2	3	9	14	16	0	0	4	0	0	48	34
Corinth	Tommy Bullard, Route 3, Box 73, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Delco		10	7	7	10	15	0	0	0	12	2	63	40
Evergreen	Mrs. Faye McClary, Route 1, Box 424, Evergreen	4	5	4	14	10	0	2	0	4	0	43	28
Fair Bluff	James B. Degner, Box 337, Fair Bluff	0	20	9	12	0	12	8	4	0	0	65	0
Faith		0	2	2	5	10	0	0	0	[illegible]	0	21	8
Forest Lawn	Cecil Stanley, Route 2, Box 159, Tabor City	6	0	9	6	0	0	0	0	5	0	26	20
Friendly Chapel	Mrs. Irene Waddell, 1205 Pinkney Street, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	3	0	15	12
Gapway	Mrs. Marion Strickland, Route 1, Green Sea, S. C. 29545	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	2	0	12	10
Hallsboro	Mrs. Teresa Hardin, Box 41, Hallsboro	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	10	7
Hinson's Cross Roads	Graham Ellis, Route 1, Box 43, Fair Bluff	1	7	3	16	18	0	0	0	-	0	52	38
Iron Hill		0	0	0	0	12	0	5	0	3	0	20	12
Lake Waccamaw		0	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	3	0	18	12
Lennon's Cross Roads													
	TOTALS												
	PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS												

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TABLE D MUSIC MINISTRY YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1984

Association
Columbus

State
North Carolina

Associational Music Director
Rev. Herman Goodin

Address P. O. Box 159 City Cerro Gordo State N. C. Zip 28430

CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	87 Preschool enrolment (4-5 years)	88 Children enrolment (6-8 years or grades 1-3)	89 Children enrolment (9-11 years or grades 4-6)	90 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	91 Adult enrolment (18 and over)	92 Handbell ringers enrolment	93 Vocal ensembles enrolment	94 Instrumental ensembles enrolment	95 General music leaders enrolment	96 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	97 Total ongoing Music Ministry enrolment	98 Music Ministry Average Weekly Ongoing Attendance
Macedonia	Ralph Nance, Route 1, Box 170, Evergreen	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	4	0	19	19
Mount Zion	Mrs. Kitty Blanton, Route 2, Box 143, Whiteville	2	3	3	15	12	0	2	0	9	0	46	7
Nakina	Mrs. Carolyn Suggs, Route 4, Whiteville	4	6	0	10	20	0	0	0	2	0	42	31
New Hope		9	8	5	9	23	0	0	0	10	0	64	43
Oak Dale	Coy Long, Route 1, Whiteville	0	3	4	7	10	0	0	0	4	0	28	12
Peace	Jeff Peterson, Route 6, Box 191-B, Whiteville	1	2	8	7	18	0	0	2	4	0	42	20
Piney Forest	Mrs. Rachel Arnette, Route 3, Box 260, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	9	0	3	0	1	0	10	8
Pleasant Hill		0	0	0	0	14	0	0	0	4	0	18	11
Pleasant Plains	John Paul Millican, Route 4, Box 371, Whiteville	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	2	0	0	17	10
Porter Swamp	Mrs. Mildred Edwards, Route 1, Box 30, Fair Bluff	1	4	2	0	15	0	5	0	3	0	30	30
Riegelwood	Jimmy Lennon, Box 70, Delco	0	2	8	25	19	0	0	0	7	0	61	40
Smyrna	Al Norris, 201 West Oliver Street, Whiteville	0	0	0	15	18	0	0	0	5	0	38	24
Sweet Home	Anthony Fipps, Route 3, Box 250, Whiteville	5	5	5	25	20	0	15	0	7	0	82	60
Tabor City	Jim Smith, 104 Garrell Street, Tabor City	31	36	27	60	70	27	20	0	9	0	280	226
Trinity	Tom Carringer, Route 6, Box 329-A, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Union Chapel	Mrs. Patty Hobbs, Route 1, Hallsboro	0	1	1	2	5	0	3	0	3	0	15	8
Union Valley	W. C. Butler, Route 1, Box 380, Whiteville	4	6	10	5	16	0	15	0	3	0	59	28
Western Prong	Mrs. Dot Thompson, Route 5, Box 412, Whiteville	0	8	0	18	18	0	0	0	1	0	45	15
Westside	Jerry Watts, 115 Brown Street, Tabor City	0	11	0	15	15	0	0	0	4	0	45	30
White Marsh	Mrs. Mildred Lancaster, Route 2, Box 259-A, Whiteville	0	0	0	22	27	0	1	0	3	0	53	15
Whiteville First													
Whiteville West	Mrs. JoAnne Todd, Route 5, Box 357-A, Whiteville	1	4	0	9	9	0	0	1	3	0	27	12
Williamson's Cross Roads	Mrs. Alice Marie Hammond, Route 1, Evergreen	5	0	9	8	11	0	0	0	4	0	37	12
	TOTALS	101	207	144	367	672	39	82	13	163	2	1,767	1,084

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TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, (Month & Day) 1984

Association: Columbus

State: North Carolina

Associational WMU Director: Mrs. Faye Pierce

Address: 409 North Madison Street City: Whiteville State: N.C. Zip: 28472

CHURCHES	WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	99 Number of Organizations: Mission Friends (5 years and under—not in school)	100 Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	101 Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	102 Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)	103 Baptist Women (30 and over)	104 Mission(s) of church	105 Total number of organizations	106 Enrolment: Mission Friends (5 years and under—not in school)	107 Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	108 Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	109 Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)	110 Baptist Women (30 and over)	111 WMU officers	112 Mission(s) of church	113 Total ongoing WMU enrolment
Antioch	Mrs. Linda Hewett, Route 4, Box 134-F, Whiteville	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	4	0	6	3	0	
Boardman	Mrs. David Oldham, Route 3, Box 344, Dillon, S.C. 29536	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	3	0	15	10	0	0	34
Belton		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brunswick	Mrs. Dorothy Rich, Box 71, Brunswick	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	6	0	13	6	0	25
Calvary	Mrs. Linda Harrelson, Route 3, Box 74-D, Whiteville	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	5	0	0	17	2	0	24
Cedar Grove	Mrs. Bobbie Bass, Route 1, Box 107, Cerro Gordo	1	1	1	0	1	1	5	3	8	6	0	3	2	0	20
Cerro Gordo	Mrs. Elizabeth Williamson, Box 178, Cerro Gordo	1	1	1	0	2	0	5	5	5	8	0	32	5	0	55
Chadbourn	Ms. Amanda Britt, 209 East Fourth Avenue, Chadbourn	1	2	1	2	4	1	11	15	21	18	21	46	9	6	136
Cheerful Hope	Mrs. Mary Woolard, Route 1, Box 67-H, Delco.	1	1	1	0	0	1	4	5	6	5	0	0	5	17	38
Cherry Grove	Mrs. Shirley Hendrix, Route 2, Box 93, Tabor City	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	12	13	5	11	12	1	0	53
China Grove		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clarendon	Mrs. Shirley Carter, Box 275, Bladenboro	1	0	1	0	1	1	4	5	0	10	0	20	6	0	41
Corinth	Mrs. Elouise Bullard, Route 3, Box 107, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	11	1	12	0	0	0	0	0	1	11	12
Delco	Mrs. Connie Hufham, Box 128, Delco	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	5	12	8	2	5	3	0	35
Evergreen	Mrs. Mildred Vaughan, Box 146, Evergreen	1	1	1	0	2	0	5	6	7	10	0	10	5	0	32
Fair Bluff	Mrs. Anna Odham, Fair Bluff	1	2	1	0	4	0	8	4	8	6	0	50	2	0	70
Faith	Mrs. Lena Frink, Route 1, Box 445, Chabdourn	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	7	1	0	8
Forest Lawn	Mrs. Shirley Ferguson, Box 633, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	10	4	0	23
Friendly Chapel	Ms. Maebelle Ward, Route 5, Box 321, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	7	1	0	8
Gapway		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hallsboro	Mrs. Lucille Greene, Box 40, Hallsboro	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	15	3	0	18
Hinson's Cross Roads	Mrs. Inez Hammond, Route 1, Box 148, Cerro Gordo	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	0	7	7	0	6	3	0	23
Iron Hill		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lake Waccamaw	Mrs. Ann Edens, Route 1, Box 226-A, Lake Waccamaw	0	1	0	0	2	0	3	0	7	0	0	21	1	0	29
Lennon's Cross Roads																
TOTALS																
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS																

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TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1984 (Month & Day)

Association: Columbus

State: North Carolina

Associational WMU Director: Mrs. Faye Pierce

Address: 409 North Madison Street City: Whiteville State: N. C. Zip: 28472

		99	100	101	102	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110	111	112	113
		Number of Organizations							Enrolment							
CHURCHES	WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	Mission Friends (5 years and under—not in school)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H S graduation through 29 years)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	Mission(s) of church	Total number of organizations	Mission Friends (5 years and under—not in school)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H S graduation through 29 years)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	WMU officers	Mission(s) of church	Total ongoing WMU enrolment
Macedonia	Mrs. Janice Brown, Route 1, Box 124, Evergreen	1	1	1	0	0	0	3	3	11	13	0	0	1	0	28
Mount Zion	Mrs. Kate Brown, Route 2, Box 162, Clarkton	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	0	9	4	0	16	5	0	34
Nakina	Mrs. Sara Hawes, Route 1, Nakina	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	10	2	0	12
New Hope	Mrs. Naomi Hinson, Route 3, Box 213, Whiteville	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	6	15	6	6	23	5	0	61
Oak Dale	Mrs. Nellie Britt, Route 1, Box 262-A, Whiteville	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	4	5	3	0	5	7	0	24
Peace	Yvonne Norris, Route 3, Whiteville	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	7	0	0	11	1	0	19
Piney Forest	Mrs. Rachel Arnette, Route 3, Box 260, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	25	6	0	31
Pleasant Hill		0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	15	15	2	0	32
Pleasant Plains	Mrs. Alice Harrelson, Route 4, Box 153, Whiteville	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	0	5	5	0	18	6	0	34
Porter Swamp	Mrs. Sadie Herring, Box , Fair Bluff	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	2	10	5	0	10	3	0	30
Riegelwood	Mrs. Elaine Johnson, Route 1, Box 79-A, Riegelwood	2	1	1	1	1	0	6	18	10	16	26	20	5	0	95
Smyrna	Mrs. Juanita Hooks, Route 2, Box 117, Chadbourn	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	6	4	6	0	35	8	0	59
Sweet Home		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tabor City	Mrs. Carolyn Jones, Box 674, Tabor City	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	14	22	12	15	70	5	0	138
Trinity	Mrs. Alice Stallings, Box 826, Whiteville	3	2	1	1	1	2	10	18	20	10	10	20	11	2	81
Union Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Union Valley	Mrs. Beth Dyson, Box 1297, Whiteville	1	1	1	0	1	4	4	10	4	6	0	12	4	1	36
Western Prong	Mrs. Frances Horton, Route 1, Box 103-A, Whiteville	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	2	3	2	6	52	8	0	73
Westside	Mrs. Cynthia Graham, 110 Jones Street, Tabor City	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	6	6	6	0	12	3	4	39
White Marsh	Miss Jackie Fleming, Route 6, Box 389, Whiteville	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	8	11	7	3	30	8	0	67
Whiteville First																
Whiteville West	Mrs. Teresa F. Powell, 806 North Lee Street, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	7	9
Williamson's Cross Roads		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	TOTALS	25	29	26	10	51	17	154	163	253	194	130	674	157	48	1,599
	PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS	24	31	26	9	39	13	137	177	271	215	139	856	146	82	1,849

TABLE F BROTHERHOOD YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1984
Month & Day

Association Columbus
State North Carolina
Associational Brotherhood Director Jack Strickland
Address Route 1, Box 208 City Cerro Gordo State N. C. Zip 28430

CHURCHES	BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	114 Crusaders (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	115 Pioneers (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	116 RA director and committee	117 Baptist Men enrolment-Basic	118 Baptist Men enrolment Prayer	119 Baptist Men enrolment Mission Action	120 Baptist Men enrolment Witnessing or Lay Renewal	121 Brotherhood director and other general Brotherhood officer	122 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	123 Total ongoing Brotherhood enrolment
Antioch		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Boardman		0	0	15	25	0	0	0	0	0	40
Bolton		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brunswick		7	8	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	17
Calvary		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cedar Grove	Joel McLelland, Route 1, Box 347, Cerro Gordo	14	4	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	20
Cerro Gordo	Tony Nance, Box 279, Cerro Gordo	13	0	2	0	5	0	0	0	0	20
Chadbourn		14	12	3	0	12	0	0	0	4	45
Cheerful Hope		5	10	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	16
Cherry Grove	Robert Faulk, Route 2, Box 84-A, Tabor City	15	12	7	12	23	2	4	6	75	81
China Grove		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clarendon	Bobby Stanley, Route 1, Box 2, Clarendon	3	6	2	0	4	5	0	5	0	25
Corinth		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Delco	Martin Benton, Route 1, Box 98-C, Delco	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	3	0	15
Evergreen	Robert Shaw, Route 1, Box 62, Evergreen	5	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	8
Fair Bluff	Johnny Cutrell, Box 336, Fair Bluff	25	12	7	18	18	5	0	3	50	138
Faith		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Forest Lawn		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Friendly Chapel	Philip Dew, 315 Wilkes Street, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	7	8
Gapway	Stephen L. Nobles, Route 1, Green Sea, S. C. 29545	8	15	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	25
Hallsboro		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hinson's Cross Roads	Carlton R. Brown, Route 1, Box 155, Cerro Gordo	8	21	1	15	0	0	0	3	0	48
Iron Hill		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lake Waccamaw	William McRae, Box 294, Lake Waccamaw	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	1	0	10
Lennon's Cross Roads											
	TOTALS										
	PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS										

TABLE E BROTHERHOOD

YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1984
(Month & Day)

Association: Columbus

State: North Carolina

Brotherhood Director: Jack Strickland

Address: Route 1, Box 208 City: Cerro Gordo State: N. C. Zip: 28430

CHURCHES	BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	114 Crusaders (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	115 Pioneers (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	116 RA director and committee	117 Baptist Men enrolment Basic	118 Baptist Men enrolment Prayer	119 Baptist Men enrolment Mission Action	120 Baptist Men enrolment Witnessing or Lay Renewal	121 Brotherhood director and other general Brotherhood Officers	122 Enrolment of missions of church	123 Total ongoing Brotherhood enrolment
Macedonia	Carl Brown, Route 1, Box 124, Evergreen	5	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	114
Mount Zion		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nakina	Carl Reeves, Route 1, Nakina	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	2	0	12
New Hope	Robert Blackwell, Route 3, Whiteville	7	3	3	2	2	2	2	4	10	35
Oak Dale	Charles Horne, Route 1, Box 250, Whiteville	4	0	1	9	0	0	0	1	0	15
Peace	Waldo Nye, Route 3, Box D-12, Whiteville	0	17	2	17	0	0	5	4	0	45
Piney Forest		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pleasant Hill		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pleasant Plains	Gene Buffkin, Route 4, Whiteville	5	5	0	6	6	0	0	1	0	23
Porter Swamp		7	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Riegelwood	Robert Rockwell, Box 63, Riegelwood	7	10	1	0	0	0	15	4	0	37
Smyrna	Mel Herring, Route 1, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sweet Home		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tabor City	L. B. Hedgecoe, Box 186, Tabor City	29	35	13	30	30	0	0	6	0	113
Trinity	Robert Crumpler, Route 7, Box C-49, Whiteville	20	20	1	20	16	35	1	4	16	133
Union Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Union Valley	Johnny Sellers, Route 1, Box 373, Whiteville	3	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
Western Prong	Martin Benton, Route 1, Box 107, Whiteville	6	12	3	6	0	1	1	4	33	35
Westside	Randy Graham, Route 5, Box 56, Loris, S. C. 29569	6	5	1	0	0	0	0	3	30	45
White Marsh		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Whiteville First											
Whiteville West		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Williamson's Cross Roads		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	TOTALS	216	227	71	182	116	50	28	57	225	1,139

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TABLE 6 TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1984
Month & Day

Association
Columbus

State
North Carolina

Associational Treasurer
Mrs. Brenda W. Jolly

Address P. O. Box 1095 City Whiteville State N. C. Zip 28472

CHURCHES	TREASURERS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	21 Number of tithers	22 Cooperative Program goal as percent of undesignated receipts	23 Associational missions goal as percent of undesignated receipts	124 Undesignated gifts, offerings, etc.	125 Designated gifts, offerings, etc.	126 Total tithes, all offerings and special gifts	127 All other receipts	128 Total Receipts	129 Money borrowed during the year	130 Church staff salaries	131 Money paid out on new construction during the year	132 Debt retirement during the year	133 Church literature	134 All other local expenditures	135 Total local expenditures
Antioch	Mrs. Betty Ward, Route 4, Box 140-A, Whiteville				30,366	9,299	39,665	0	39,665	0	10,411	0	14,480	1,474	4,398	30,763
Boardman	L. G. Stanley, Route 1, Box 460-B, Evergreen				18,258	0	18,258	0	18,258	0	4,300	0	0	1,336	9,820	15,456
Bolton	Mrs. Elizabeth Parker, Route 1, Bolton	5	24	6	31,700	1,230	32,897	0	32,897	0	16,343	0	7,560	1,044	7,950	32,897
Brunswick	Mrs. Jean Norris, Route 6, Box 119, Whiteville		5	35	16,570	9,668	26,238	1,363	27,601	22,000	7,940	0	709	2,573	13,348	24,570
Calvary	Mrs. Esther Pope, Route 3, Box 50, Whiteville	25			28,607	778	29,385	0	29,385	0	10,975	0	7,248	673	357	19,253
Cedar Grove	Johnnie Green, Route 1, Box 20, Cerro Gordo	5	7	3	24,864	2,000	26,864	0	26,864	0	12,942	0	1,100	2,107	4,404	20,553
Cerro Gordo	Mrs. Judy Strickland, Route 1, Box 23A, Cerro Gordo	41	10	3	62,159	5,060	67,219	607	67,826	0	19,004	8,500	0	2,716	18,118	48,338
Chadbourn	Ms. Janice McRae, 706 E. First Ave., Chadbourn	35	82	15	92,301	17,875	110,176	0	110,176	0	34,243	0	0	3,975	62,693	100,911
Cheerful Hope	Mrs. Debbie Bracey, Route 1, Box 62-B, Delco	22	0	0	28,619	3,470	32,089	0	32,089	0	16,980	0	0	842	19,734	37,556
Cherry Grove	Mrs. Ann Strickland, Route 1, Box 258-A, C.Gordo	42	12	4	82,692	1,050	83,724	0	83,742	0	27,404	0	0	4,410	33,816	65,630
China Grove	Edward Clewis, Route 2, Box 412, Chadbourn	0	0	0	14,630	4,122	18,752	0	18,752	0	10,340	0	0	1,380	7,032	18,752
Clarendon	Eugene Richardson, Route 1, Box 30, Clarendon	27	31	026	39,762	2,483	44,245	2,792	45,037	0	18,001	0	0	1,491	14,046	33,338
Corinth	Miss Geraldine Rabon, Route 3, Box 59, Chadbourn	0	10		22,598	0	22,598	0	0	0	13,524	0	0	1,092	5,965	20,581
Delco	Mrs. Virginia Lane, Route 2, Box 108, Riegelwood	12	13.5	4	48,447	9,377	57,824	2,328	60,152	26,000	8,926	39,888	0	1,947	10,567	61,329
Evergreen	Mrs. Mary F. Inman, Box 1, Evergreen		10	3	38,961	12,909	51,363	0	51,363	0	15,041	0	0	2,307	11,018	47,609
Fair Bluff	Schley Waddell, Route 1, Box 23, Fair Bluff		10		68,930	30,534	99,464	0	99,464	0	21,015	0	2,731	4,593	4,954	35,393
Faith	Mrs. Janet Hinson, Route 2, Box 389, Chadbourn	12	3	3	19,754	1,529	21,283	2,114	23,397	0	8,286	0	1,560	883	9,141	19,870
Forest Lawn	Lonnie Hinson, Route 3, Box 266, Whiteville	14	1	1	0	0	35,968	0	35,968	0	18,040	0	0	1,000	8,701	27,741
Friendly Chapel	Mrs. Irene Waddell, 1205 Pinkney St., Whitevill0	13	0	0	12,000	0	12,000	0	12,000	0	7,800	0	0	300	3,900	12,000
Gapway	Jimmy L. Fowler, Route 2, Box 53-D, Tabor City	3	0	0	13,621	0	13,621	0	13,621	0	3,971	0	0	1,130	7,144	11,115
Hallsboro	Mrs. Ann Jones, Route 1, Box 301-A, Hallsboro	14	75	33	37,573	5,059	42,632	0	42,632	0	22,886	0	0	2,382	3,394	28,672
Hinson's Cross Roads	James Jenkins, Box 324, Fair Bluff	25	48	2	39,200	12,500	51,700	0	51,700	0	11,715	0	0	2,360	13,344	27,419
Iron Hill	Ford Inman, Route 3, Box 38, Tabor City	15	4	0	30,034	890	30,920	0	30,924	0	14,200	0	0	1,417	11,021	26,638
Lake Waccamaw	Mrs. Ann Edens, Route 1, Box 226-A, L. Waccamaw		10	5	59,198	7,845	67,043	2,296	69,339	0	24,445	0	0	4,163	28,968	57,576
Lennon's Cross Roads																
	TOTALS															
	PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS															

TABLE 3 TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1984 (Month & Day)

Association
Columbus

State
North Carolina

Associational Treasurer
Mrs. Brenda W. Jolly

Address P. O. Box 1095 City Whiteville State N. C. Zip 28472

CHURCHES	TREASURERS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	21 Number of tithers	22 Cooperative Program goal as percent of undesignated receipts	23 Associational missions goal as percent of undesignated receipts	124 Undesignated gifts, offerings, etc	125 Designated gifts offerings, etc	126 Total tithes, all offerings and special gifts	127 All other receipts	128 Total Receipts	129 Money borrowed during the year	130 Church staff salaries	131 Money paid out on new construction during the year	132 Debt retirement during the year	133 Church literature	134 All other local expenditures	135 Total local expenditures
Macedonia	Mrs. Linda Brown, Route 1, Box 134, Evergreen		.05%	.05%	44,747	0	44,747	4,535	49,282	0	21,000	13,500	0	2,005	7,243	43,748
Mount Zion	Mrs. Betty Sue Baldwin, Route 2, Box 113, Whiteville	25	4	1	19,876	3,532	23,409	2,269	25,678	0	12,080	0	0	1,488	7,510	21,078
Nakina	Mrs. Ralph Sasser, Route 1, Box 95, Nakina	4	3	0	31,466	9,324	40,790	1,230	42,020	0	3,225	0	15,360	2,074	9,502	30,161
New Hope	Mrs. Linda Goldston, Box 218, Whiteville	75	20	5	59,912	16,623	76,535	0	76,535	133,750	28,368	0	148,804	4,952	12,145	194,269
Oak Dale	Kimble Brock, Route 1, Box 198, Whiteville	12	6	1.25	20,083	4,687	24,770	134	24,904	0	6,064	0	0	1,069	9,832	16,965
Peace	G. F. Hines, Route 5, Box 13, Whiteville	14			23,791	388	24,179	0	24,179	0	11,780	1,549	6,322	1,428	350	22,428
Piney Forest	Ward Shaw, Route 2, Box 189, Chadbourn	15	9	2	34,687	5,123	39,810	0	39,810	0	9,735	0	0	1,390	10,688	21,793
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Gussie Woodell, 416 Clay St., Whiteville	15	12	4	22,656	7,345	30,001	383	30,385	0	7,169	0	1,771	1,648	1,471	12,060
Pleasant Plains	Wayne King, Route 4, Box 377-D, Whiteville	12	10	2	25,000	22,603	47,603	0	47,603	4,750	10,058	6,000	6,408	2,815	31,059	46,283
Porter Swamp	Mrs. Jane Ford, Route 1, Box 317, Cerro Gordo	45	7	3	39,696	500	40,196	5,727	45,922	0	13,174	686	0	2,326	4,303	20,488
Riegelwood	Mrs. Wanda Pridgen, Box 104, Riegelwood	30	13	4	71,198	11,069	82,267	0	82,267	0	26,821	0	0	5,396	15,685	47,902
Smyrna	Earl Goins, 515 W. Nance St., Whiteville	30	16	6	50,371	10,259	60,630	0	60,630	40,000	17,668	51,440	0	2,398	13,603	85,109
Sweet Home	Keith Fowler, Route 1, Clarendon	10			35,897	6,711	42,608	1,151	43,759	7,000	14,838	0	9,070	1,226	19,389	44,522
Tabor City	C. C. Willoughby, Route 2, Box 105, Tabor City		13	2	178,496	207,562	386,058	0	386,058	0	88,264	613,307		12,975	58,450	772,996
Trinity	V. C. Duncan, Route 1, Box 368, Whiteville	190	13	3	170,190	25,895	196,085	1,801	197,886	0	71,778	0	0	11,791	18,470	102,039
Union Chapel	Billy Hobbs, Route 1, Box 777-L, L. Waccamaw	4	5	5	5,050	600	5,650	0	5,650	0	3,000	1,500	0	175	850	5,525
Union Valley	Michael Knotts, Box 312, Whiteville	34	4	1	33,021	2,182	35,210	0	35,210	0	14,260	11,382	0	1,121	2,500	29,263
Western Prong	Grady Jordan, Route 2, Box 97, Clarkton	75	12	3	79,700	7,130	86,830	930	87,660	0	35,500	0	0	7,007	25,487	[illegible]
Westside	Mrs. Mary Watts, Route 1, Box 355-A, Tabor City	30	10	10	53,238	20,157	73,395	0	73,395	75,000	16,050	100,000	1,120	1,661	7,183	126,014
White Marsh	J. C. Batten, Route 2, Box 306, Whiteville	11	8	2	32,303	6,769	39,072	0	39,072	0	13,300	0	0	2,009	13,384	28,693
Whiteville First																
Whiteville West	Mrs. Teresa F. Powell, 806 N. Lee St., Whiteville	20	8	2	16,025	2,175	18,200	0	18,200	0	11,460	0	0	885	4,510	16,855
Williamson's Cross Roads	H. G. Williamson, Route 1, Box 258, Cerro Gordo	15	9	2.5	29,429	1,190	30,619	0	30,619	0	18,201	0	0	900	6,409	25,510
	TOTALS				1,937,676	509,502	2,484,592	29,660	2,489,576	308,500	812,525	847,243	224,243	116,334	593,856	2,603,605

TABLE H MISSION EXPENDITURES

YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1984

Columbus

State North Carolina

Associational Clerk Ms. Wanda Horton

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CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	136 CHURCH SPONSORED MISSIONS Money paid out on new construction during the year	137 All other church sponsored mission expenditures	138 Total church sponsored mission expenditures	139 Cooperative Program	140 OTHER MISSION CAUSE EXPENDITURES Associational mission program	141 State missions	142 SB Home Missions (incl. Annie Armstrong Easter offering)	143 SB Foreign Missions (incl. Lottie Moon Christmas offering)	144 SB Christian education (schools, etc.)	145 SB Children's homes (cash plus goods)	146 SB Hospitals	147 SB Homes for the aged	148 All other (Bible Society, Temperance League, etc.)	149 Total other mission cause expenditures	150 Grand Total Mission expenditures
Antioch	Mrs. Vera Fowler, Route 1, Box 103-P, Clarendon	0	0	0	820	175	200	281	300	0	0	0	0	1,000	2,776	3,596
Boardman	C. R. Sanderson, Route 1, Box 335, Evergreen	0	0	0	0	100	0	1,317	987	0	0	0	0	0	2,404	2,404
Bolton	Mrs. Velma Herren, Box 355, Bolton	0	0	0	0	0	218	0	409	0	0	0	0	0	627	627
Brunswick	Mrs. Lena Jarman, Box 201, Brunswick	0	0	0	922	320	267	212	347	0	0	0	0	626	1,772	2,694
Calvary	Mrs. Sarah Pope, Route 5, Box 106-A, Whiteville	75	0	75	0	384	0	305	373	0	0	0	0	0	1,062	1,137
Cedar Grove	Mitchell Bowen, Route 1, Box 22, Cerro Gordo	0	0	0	1,460	624	306	960	632	0	0	0	0	0	2,522	3,982
Cerro Gordo	J. P. Hammond, Box 117, Cerro Gordo	0	0	0	6,337	1,885	123	771	877	0	0	0	0	0	3,656	9,993
Chadbourn	Miss Elaine Carr, Box 324, Chadbourn	0	0	0	7,150	1,290	1,293	1,165	2,417	0	0	0	0	2,231	8,396	15,546
Cheerful Hope	Mrs. Linda Hewett, Route 1, Box 62-E, Delco	0	0	0	2,634	660	133	625	706	0	0	0	0	0	2,124	4,758
Cherry Grove	Rudolph Lancaster, Route 1, Box 345, Green Sea 29545	0	0	0	9,357	2,431	500	1,250	1,750	0	0	0	0	1,200	5,399	14,756
China Grove	Mrs. Ila Clewis, Route 2, Box 412, Chadbourn	48	0	48	500	500	75	56	126	0	0	0	0	522	1,310	1,859
Clarendon	Eugene Richardson, Route 1, Box 30, Clarendon	0	0	0	1,200	1,000	500	1,966	3,000	0	0	0	0	1,675	9,341	9,341
Corinth	Mrs. Edna Bullard, Route 3, Chadbourn	0	0	0	196	150	70	86	162	0	0	0	0	336	804	1,000
Delco	Mrs. Margaret Evans, Route 1, Box 120, Delco	0	0	0	5,285	1,980	758	1,084	1,404	0	0	0	0	2,244	12,755	12,755
Evergreen	Mrs. Reba Bartley, Route 1, Box 77, Evergreen	19,242	38,746	57,989	3,101	1,005	850	925	1,850	0	0	0	0	850	5,280	8,381
Fair Bluff	Harold Foley, Box 406, Fair Bluff	0	0	0	5,982	1,500	1,020	2,386	2,231	0	0	0	0	0	7,137	13,119
Faith	Mrs. L. H. Shuman, Route 5, Box 65, Whiteville	0	0	0	15	290	0	150	212	0	0	0	0	165	817	832
Forest Lawn	Mitchell Wright, Route 1, Box 18, Tabor City	0	0	0	375	375	150	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	525	900
Friendly Chapel	Mrs. Sandie Ward, Route 5, Box 101-B, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gapway	Sammy Inman, Route 2, Box 53-E, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	290	0	0	119	0	0	0	0	695	1,104	1,104
Hallsboro	R. B. Wyche, Box 183, Hallsboro	0	0	0	4,000	1,600	336	361	1,057	0	0	0	0	249	3,603	7,603
Hinson's Cross Roads	Mrs. L. V. Reel, Box 5, Fair Bluff	0	0	0	1,950	500	214	760	957	0	0	0	0	1,200	3,631	5,581
Iron Hill	James E. Spivey, Route 3, Box 27, Tabor City	0	0	0	1,014	200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,000	1,200	1,200
Lake Waccamaw	Mrs. Lettie Sharpe, Box 223, Whiteville	0	0	0	5,586	2,234	241	504	750	0	0	14	0	1,115	4,859	10,446
Lennon's Cross Roads																
	TOTALS															
	PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS															

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TABLE H MISSION EXPENDITURES YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1984

Association Columbus

State North Carolina

Associational Clerk Ms. Wanda Horton

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CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	CHURCH SPONSORED MISSIONS				OTHER MISSION CAUSE EXPENDITURES										
		136 Money paid out on new construction during the year	137 All other church sponsored mission expenditures	138 Total church sponsored mission expenditures	139 Cooperative Program	140 Associational missions program	141 State missions	142 SB Home Missions (incl. Annie Armstrong Easter offering)	143 SB Foreign Missions (incl. Lottie Moon Christmas offering)	144 SB Christian education (schools, etc.)	145 SB Children's homes (cash plus goods)	146 SB Hospitals	147 SB Homes for the aged	148 All other (Bible Society, Temperance League, etc.)	149 Total other mission cause expenditures	150 Grand Total Mission expenditures
Macedonia	Mrs. Carolyn Reynolds, Route 1, Box 187-A, Evergreen	0	0	0	200	330	100	0	1,000	0	181	150	0	3,863	5,624	5,824
Mount Zion	Mrs. Estelle Lennon, Route 2, Box 144, Whiteville	100	0	100	800	200	40	546	540	0	0	0	0	150	1,476	2,376
Nakina	Mrs. Ralph Sasser, Route 1, Box 95, Nakina	0	0	0	744	1,300	0	300	300	0	0	0	0	0	1,900	2,644
New Hope	Mrs. Linda Goldston, Box 218, Whiteville	0	0	0	5,531	1,692	202	347	102	0	0	0	0	0	3,242	8,773
Oak Dale	Mrs. Carol Brock, Route 1, Box 198, Whiteville	0	0	0	1,028	957	325	234	490	0	0	0	0	99	2,106	3,134
Peace		0	0	0	500	200	0	246	273	0	0	0	0	0	720	1,220
Piney Forest	Dr. Robert Yates, Box 468, Chadbourn	1,187	0	1,187	2,500	500	901	2,052	1,707	0	0	0	0	1,628	6,788	9,475
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Virginia Buffkin, Route 5, Box 71, Whiteville	0	0	0	3,048	1,015	362	658	1,109	0	0	0	0	95	3,240	6,288
Pleasant Plains	Mrs. Mamie Williams, Route 1, Box 117, Clarendon	0	0	0	1,700	300	500	610	1,141	0	0	0	0	905	5,156	5,156
Porter Swamp	Miss Melinda Edwards, Route 1, Box 30, Fair Bluff	0	0	0	3,974	1,880	0	275	300	0	0	0	0	0	2,455	6,429
Riegelwood	Mrs. Sandra Hammond, Box 128, Riegelwood	4,483	0	4,483	9,909	3,400	836	2,136	2,800	0	0	0	0	0	9,172	23,564
Smyrna	Mrs. Melba Gurkin, Route 5, Box 441, Whiteville	0	0	0	5,979	2,255	173	570	751	0	0	0	0	0	3,749	9,728
Sweet Home	Mrs. Nancy Marlowe, Route 1, Box 230, Clarendon	0	0	0	160	765	560	618	585	0	0	0	0	3,038	5,725	5,885
Tabor City	Jerry Bullard, Box 781, Tabor City	0	0	0	20,000	3,000	2,250	2,388	5,817	0	0	0	0	5,739	19,194	39,194
Trinity	Clyde Griffin, 106 S. Franklin St., Whiteville	0	0	0	27,867	6,796	742	1,678	3,243	0	0	0	0	0	12,459	40,146
Union Chapel	Mrs. Letha Squires, Route 1, Box 45, Bolton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Union Valley	Mrs. Jessie Lee Russ, Route 1, Box 37-C, Whiteville	0	0	0	1,200	600	0	295	305	0	0	0	0	0	11,997	2,400
Western Prong	Mrs. Jo Wooten, Route 2, Box 112, Clarkton	0	0	0	9,321	1,852	1,400	1,970	2,606	0	0	0	0	2,058	8,486	19,207
Westside	Mrs. Annie Inman, Route 1, Box 44, Tabor City	0	0	0	1,200	600	0	450	611	0	0	0	0	490	2,151	3,351
White Marsh	Billy Rushing, Route 2, Box 83-A, Whiteville	0	240	240	2,022	425	127	488	1,401	0	200	0	0	0	2,641	4,903
Whiteville First																
Whiteville West	Mrs. Ann Powell, Box 58, Hallsboro	0	0	0	1,198	300	0	200	200	0	0	0	0	120	820	2,018
Williamson's Cross Roads	A. I. Williamson, Route 1, Box 370, Cerro Gordo	0	0	0	2,200	650	1,320	143	152	0	0	0	0	644	2,909	5,109
	TOTALS	25,135	38,986	64,122	158,965	48,510	17,902	31,368	46,099	0	381	164	0	33,937	195,114	349,439

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TABLE 1 SPECIAL INFORMATION YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1984 1984

Association Columbus

State North Carolina

Moderator Bernard Lennon

Address Route 1, Box 436 City Evergree State N. C. Zip 28438

Does church have observe plan use etc ? Y-Yes N-No

CHURCHES	CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	28 No church-type missions started during the year	29 No church-type missions currently operating	30 No. other-type missions started during the year	31 No other-type missions currently operating	32 No New Sunday School Members	33 No persons completing witness training	34 ($) Annie Armstrong Offering	35 Number of families committed to strengthen Families emphasis	36 N=none TV=TV R=radio B=both	37 Number of deacons	38 Number of active deacons	39 Missions committee	40 History committee	41 Language culture groups	42 Cooperative Program emphasis	43 Video player	44 Brotherhood Leadership Week	45 Seminary Extension Course	46 Expect to use TelNet	47 Weekly Workers meeting	48 Begin visitation program	49 Family enrichment project	50 Senior adults music activity	51 Library	52 B M T player activities	53 State paper in budget
Antioch	Willard White, Route 3, Box 354, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	27	0	281	0	N	6	6	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y
Boardman	C. R. Sanderson, Route 1, Box 335, Evergreen	0	0	0	0	0	0	100	0	0	8	8	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Bolton	Parks Godwin, Box 228, Bolton												N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Brunswick	Calton Thompson, Route 5, Box 16-B, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	212	0	N	10	5	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N
Calvary		0	0	0	0	19	0	305	0	N	5	3	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Cedar Grove	C. H. Hayes, Route 1, Cerro Gordo	1	1	0	0	0	0	165	0	N	0	7	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Cerro Gordo	C. E. Williamson, Box 207, Cerro Gordo	0	0	0	0	12	25	771	0	N	15	7	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y
Chadbourn	Raybon Jenkins, Box 387, Chadbourn	0	0	1	0	35	12	1,165	0	N	42	12	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Cheerful Hope	Mac Saunders, Route 1, Box 66-B, Delco	0	0	0	0	10	0	625	0	N	9	7	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y
Cherry Grove	Farley Strickland, Route 2, Box 55-B, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	8	9	1,250	0	N	14	7	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N
China Grove	Willie H. Nobles, Cerro Gordo	0	0	0	0	0	0	57	0	N	9	5	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Clarendon	Bobby Stanley, Route 1, Box 2, Clarendon	0	0	0	0	0	20	1,966	0	N	5	5	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N
Corinth	Tommy Bullard, Route 3, Box 73, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0	0	86	0	N	9	5	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y
Delco	N. A. Lane, Route 2, Box 108, Riegelwood	0	0	0	0	17	25	1,084	0	N	4	4	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y
Evergreen	Alfred Bowen, Highway 74, Evergreen	2	7	0	0	0	2	0	0	N	0	9	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y
Fair Bluff	Bennett Coleman, Fair Bluff	0	0	0	0	0	6	1,823	0	R	0	0	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N
Faith	L. H. Shuman, Route 5, Box 65, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	7	6	150	0	N	10	5	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N
Forest Lawn	Cecil Stanley, Route 2, Box 159, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	28	0	0	0	N	5	5	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Friendly Chapel	Garnet Holcomb, Route 5, Box 102, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	3	3	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Gapway	J. D. Lovette, Route 1, Box 357, Green Sea 29545	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	N	3	3	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Hallsboro	Van A. Pierce, Route 1, Box 301, Hallsboro	0	0	0	0	4	0	295	0	N	11	11	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	Y
Hinson's Cross Roads	Graham Ellis, Route 1, Box 43, Fair Bluff	1	0	0	0	8	0	760	0	N	15	7	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Iron Hill	Delbert Larrimore, Route 1, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	N	9	5	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N
Lake Waccamaw	Richard Speight, Route 1, Box 363, Lake Waccamaw	0	0	0	0	0	0	241	0	N	18	7	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N
Lennon's Cross Roads																											
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TABLE I SPECIAL INFORMATION

YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1984

Association Columbus

State North Carolina

Moderator Bernard Lennon

Address Route 1, Box 436 City Evergreen State N. C. Zip 28427

CHURCHES	CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53
													Does church have, observe, plan, use, etc.? Y=Yes N=No														
		No. church-type missions started during the year	No. church-type missions currently operating	No. other-type missions started during the year	No. other-type missions currently operating	No. New Sunday School Members	No. persons completing witness training	($) Annie Armstrong Offering	Number of families committed to strengthen Families emphasis	N=none TV=TV R=radio B=both	Number of deacons	Number of active deacons	Missions committee	History committee	Language culture groups	Cooperative Program emphasis	Video player	Brotherhood Leadership Week	Seminary Extension Course	Expect to use TelNet	Weekly Workers meeting	Begin visitation program	Family enrichment project	Senior adults music activity	Library	B M T prayer activities	State paper in budget
Macedonia	J. B. Williamson, Route 1, Box 126, Evergreen	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	9	5	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Mount Zion	Issac McPherson, Route 2, Box 145, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	546	0	N	9	6	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Nakina	Arnold FormyDuval, Route 1, Nakina	0	0	0	0	0	0	300	0	N	7	5	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
New Hope	Harry Fluharty, Box 373, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	25	0	347	0	N	20	7	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y
Oak Dale	Charles Horne, Route 1, Box 250, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	13	0	234	0	N	6	3	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y
Peace	Ronnie Norris, Route 3, Box 9, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	246	0	N	6	3	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Piney Forest	Weldon Edmund, Route 3, Box 251, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	4	0	2,052	0	N	11	6	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y
Pleasant Hill	Earl McKeithan, 221 S. Brown St., Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	4	0	658	-	N	13	5	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N
Pleasant Plains	Russell Long, Route 1, Box 25-A, Nakina	0	0	0	0	0	0	610	0	N	8	4	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N
Porter Swamp	David Edwards, Route 1, Box 30, Fair Bluff	0	0	0	0	10	20	200	0	N	7	7	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
Riegelwood	James Duncan, Box 53, Riegelwood	0	0	0	0	8	0	2,136	0	N	24	10	Y	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	N
Smyrna	C. G. Townsend, Baldwin Woods, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	570	0	N	19	7	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y
Sweet Home	Bruce Simmons, Route 1, Box 182, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0	0	618	0	N	9	6	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N
Tabor City	Joe Coleman, Route 1, Box 9, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	6	85	2,388	0	R	56	15	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y
Trinity	Tom Ray, Route 6, Box 139-AA, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,678	0	R	27	18	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y
Union Chapel	A. O. Squires, Route 1, Box 45, Bolton	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	N	3	2	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Union Valley	Edwin Skipper, Route 5, Box 444, Whiteville	0	0	0	1	0	0	150	18	N	9	3	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N
Western Prong	Jimmy Lanehart, Route 1, Box 106-A, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	1	0	1,400	0	N	25	9	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y
Westside	Don Watts, Route 1, Box 355-A, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	10	0	450	0	N	9	5	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N
White Marsh	Billy Rushing, Rotue 2, Box 83-A, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	9	0	488	0	N	17	8	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N
Whiteville First																											
Whiteville West	Ray Galloway, Route 6, Box 134, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	15	0	200	0	N	3	3	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y
Williamson's Cross Roads	Morris Williamson, Route 3, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,430	0	N	9	5	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y
	TOTALS	4	8	1	1	299	210	28,037	18		516	276															

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Antioch	Col.	3	5	228	0	23,179	161	65	63	44	13	0	39,665	820	3,596
Boardman	Col.	0	2	158	0	0	116	47	22	0	34	40	18,258	0	2,404
Bolton	Col.	0	6	114	5	36,124	90	0	0	0	0	0	32,897	0	627
Brunswick	Col.	6	0	129	0	22,000	98	53	34	27	25	17	27,601	922	2,694
Calvary	Col.	2	5	111	25	0	73	47	0	22	24	0	29,385	0	1,137
Cedar Grove	Col.	2	0	335	5	8,000	106	112	28	18	20	20	28,864	1,460	3,982
Cerro Gordo	Col.	3	3	317	41	0	177	69	45	40	55	20	67,826	6,337	9,993
Chadbourn	Col.	8	10	487	35	0	244	194	19	58	136	45	110,176	7,150	15,546
Cheerful Hope	Col.	3	6	87	22	0	91	0	0	31	38	16	32,089	2,634	4,758
Cherry Grove	Col.	7	8	468	42	0	212	105	209	50	53	81	83,724	9,357	14,756
China Grove	Col.	11	2	198	0	0	127	84	0	46	0	0	18,752	500	1,859
Clarendon	Col.	4	3	222	27	0	135	45	71	48	41	25	45,037	1,200	9,341
Corinth	Col.	1	0	111	10	0	79	50	0	0	12	0	0	196	1,000
Delco	Col.	6	9	203	12	26,000	151	81	36	63	35	15	60,152	5,285	12,755
Evergreen	Col.	5	2	257	0	0	196	69	34	43	32	8	51,363	3,101	8,381
Fair Bluff	Col.	9	14	485	0	0	220	74	0	65	70	138	99,464	5,982	13,119
Faith	Col.	2	2	79	12	8,969	51	32	10	21	8	0	23,397	15	832
Forest Lawn	Col.	3	5	198	14	7,549	138	62	0	26	23	0	35,968	375	900
Friendly Chapel	Col.	4	0	54	13	0	32	0	20	15	8	8	12,000	0	0
Gapway	Col.	6	0	214	3	0	126	75	0	12	0	25	13,621	0	1,104
Hallsboro	Col.	4	5	452	14	2,250	140	72	22	10	18	0	42,632	4,000	7,603
Hinson's Cross Roads	Col.	3	6	260	25	0	170	68	58	52	23	48	51,700	1,950	5,581
Iron Hill	Col.	7	3	181	15	0	105	53	0	20	0	0	30,924	1,014	1,200
Lake Waccamaw	Col.	7	6	385	0	0	189	57	24	18	29	10	69,339	5,586	10,446
Lennon's Cross Roads	Col.														
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Macedonia	Col.	7	2	357	0	0	180	79	0	19	28	114	49,282	200	5,824
Mount Zion	Col.	4	1	181	25	0	179	43	0	46	34	0	25,678	800	2,376
Nakina	Col.	1	1	75	4	80,109	106	74	45	42	12	12	42,020	744	2,644
New Hope	Col.	2	7	462	75	127,000	264	76	65	64	61	35	76,535	5,531	8,773
Oak Dale	Col.	2	0	221	12	0	84	33	0	28	24	15	24,904	1,028	3,134
Peace	Col.	13	14	113	14	0	85	69	0	42	19	45	24,179	500	1,220
Piney Forest	Col.	0	1	121	15	0	72	0	35	10	31	0	39,810	2,500	9,475
Pleasant Hill	Col.	0	0	238	15	0	139	67	37	18	32	0	30,385	3,048	6,288
Pleasant Plains	Col.	2	4	183	12	4,750	106	0	47	17	34	23	47,603	1,700	5,156
Porter Swamp	Col.	11	6	265	45	0	144	60	69	30	30	8	45,922	3,974	6,429
Riegelwood	Col.	14	15	388	30	0	240	120	0	61	95	37	82,267	9,909	23,564
Smyrna	Col.	1	0	257	30	40,000	144	40	25	38	59	0	60,630	5,979	9,728
Sweet Home	Col.	2	11	281	10	1,700	178	143	146	82	0	0	43,759	160	5,885
Tabor City	Col.	9	31	866	0	0	451	239	201	280	138	113	386,058	20,000	39,194
Trinity	Col.	7	27	886	190	3,047	597	0	0	0	81	133	197,886	27,687	40,146
Union Chapel	Col.	0	6	107	4	0	56	15	18	15	0	0	5,650	0	0
Union Valley	Col.	2	9	222	34	0	95	56	103	39	36	10	35,210	1,200	2,400
Western Prong	Col.	5	9	439	75	0	26	26	62	45	73	33	87,660	9,321	19,207
Westside	Col.	3	3	162	30	75,000	105	63	74	45	39	45	73,395	1,200	3,351
White Marsh	Col.	0	0	266	11	0	141	54	0	53	67	0	39,072	2,022	4,903
Whiteville First	Col.														
Whiteville West	Col.	13	0	178	20	0	55	47	13	27	9	0	18,200	1,198	2,018
Williamson's Cross Roads	Col.	2	0	212	15	0	83	40	0	37	0	0	30,619	2,200	5,109
TOTALS		206	249	12,213	986	465,677	6,757	2,858	1,635	1,767	1,599	1,139	2,491,558	158,785	340,438
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS		208	210	12,912	957	397,155	7,519	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

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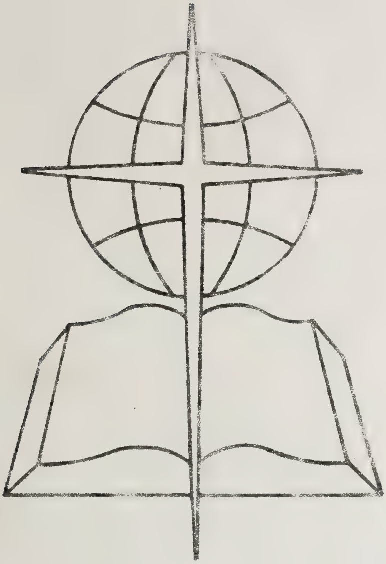

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CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

PREAMBLE

We, the messengers of Baptist Churches of Columbus County, do hereby propose to establish and maintain the order and rules of a District Association in conformity to the following plan:

ARTICLE I. NAME

This organization shall be known as the Columbus Baptist Association.

ARTICLE II. OBJECTIVES

The objectives of the Association shall be to elicit, combine, and direct the energies of Columbus Baptists in advancing the Redeemer's Kingdom throughout the earth, more especially along the lines recommended and adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention, the North Carolina Baptist State Convention, and the Association itself, to promote the fellowship and good will among the Churches; and to devise and promote measures for increasing the harmony, intelligence and spiritual powers of the churches.

ARTICLE III. MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. This Association shall be composed of regularly constituted Baptist Churches in Columbus County that shall be represented as its regular or special meetings by duly elected messengers in the following ratio: (1) Three (3) for the first one hundred members or fraction thereof, and one for each fifty (50) additional members, but provided that no church may have more than ten (10) messengers. (2) All ordained ministers who are serving as pastor within the Association, Associational Officers and Committee members.

Section 2. Messengers shall be members in good standing with the church they represent, and their names must appear on the letter from their church to the Association to entitle them to be seated as messengers.

Section 3. The Association shall be sole judge of its membership, and may reject or receive churches applying for membership therein at its pleasure, provided that the churches so received shall come under the watchcare of the Association for a period of one year. During this period such church or churches shall be entitled to all the rights and privileges of the Association except that of their members voting or holding office. At the conclusion of this period, should no valid objection be raised, they become members in regular standing by action of the Association.

Section 4. The Association shall encourage the organizing of new Baptist Churches within Columbus County under the leadership of any pastor, Church, Churches, or interested persons of the Association. If a new church contemplates being received into the fellowship of the Association after its organization, those who are to compose its charter membership and those leading in its organization are urged to seek the counsel of the Executive Promotion Committee and shall proceed with the organization only after approval is given.

Section 5. A Church seeking admission into the Association shall present its application to the Credentials Committee and furnish the Committee with such information as it may require about the Church. The Committee may then recommend that such Church be received under the watchcare of the Association for the period of one year from the date of that Associational Meeting.

Section 6. The Association may, at any time, dissolve connection with any church that becomes disorderly in practice or that fails to represent itself either by messengers or letter for two (2) consecutive sessions without sufficient reason or that ceases to be missionary in practice. The support of the causes fostered by the denomination at large and of this Association in particular shall be the test of each church as a missionary body.

Section 7. The New Testament shall be accepted as the sole guide in matters of doctrine and practice, and the Association shall reserve the right to withdraw fellowship from any church that does not conform thereto.

ARTICLE IV. POWERS AND PREROGATIVES

The Association shall have no power whatsoever to infringe upon the right of the churches. It may advise or recommend matters to usefulness for their adoption and guidance but cannot bind them in any way. All the churches constituting the Association remain sovereign and independent bodies and unite only that they may more effectively promote the causes of Christ throughout the world.

ARTICLE V. DUTIES OF CHURCHES

It shall be the duty of each church to appoint messengers, to insist upon their attendance at Associational Meetings, to contribute toward the expense of the Association, and to send annually a report to the Association which gives information requested in forms provided by the Associational Clerk.

ARTICLE VI. ORGANIZATION

Section 1. The General Officers shall be a Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian and Three (3) Trustees.

Section 2. Additional Officers shall be the Associational Director of Sunday School, Church Training Director, W.M.U. Director, Brotherhood Director, Music Directo, Library Director, Chairman of Evangelism, and others as needed including a full slate of organizational officers as recommended by the Educational Division of the Baptist Sunday School Board.

Section 3. The Nominating Committee shall recommend the officers to the Association. However, the Association reserves the right to make other nominations for any and all offices and committees.

Section 4. The offices of Clerk and Treasurer may be held by the same peson.

Section 5. The General Officers and additional officers as specified in Section 2 of this Article shall be elected at the Spring Session and shall be installed and assume their duties at the close of the Fall Session of the current year and continue their duties until the successors are installed at the next Fall Session unless removed for cause, or until their successors are appointed.

Section 6. The term of office for Moderator and Vice-Moderator shall not exceed two (2) years in succession. All other officers may be re-elected to succeed themselves in office at the pleasure of the Association.

Section 7. All officers and committees shall be members of the churches affiliated with the Association.

Section 8. The term of office for all members of committees shall be for three (3) years. One third of the members shall be elected annually.

Section 9. Vacancies in these offices or committees that may occur between the Annual Sessions of the Association shall be filled for the remainder of the Associational year by the Executive Promotion Committee.

ARTICLE VII. DUTIES OF OFFICERS

Section 1. It shall be the duty of the Moderator to preside when the Association is in session and serve as Chairman of the Executive Promotion Committee. The Moderator shall also appoint a five (5) member Committee on Committees within ten (10) days after the Annual Meeting of the Association.

Section 2. It shall be the duty of the Vice-Moderator to preside in the absence of the Moderator and to assist him in every way possible and to succeed to the office of Moderator if and when during his tenure the office of Moderator becomes vacant.

Section 3. It shall be the duty of the Clerk to keep an accurate record of the meetings of the Association and prepare minutes to be distributed as soon thereafter as possible. He/she shall serve as secretary of the Executive Promotion Committee.

Section 4. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to keep an accurate record of the money paid into his hands, pay all bills as they become due and to make an annual report to the Association. He/she shall make a written report of the financial condition to the Associational Council and provide written reports to the Executive Promotion Committee when requested. He/she shall make a monthly report to the Associational office. He/she shall be a member of the Finance Committee.

Section 5. It shall be the duty of the Historian to collect minutes of each session of the Association and have these bound into book form every ten (10) years and to assist in any way possible in keeping records of the history of the Association. He/she shall submit a short history of two (2) different churches at each Annual Meeting to be incorporated into the Associational minutes each year until all churches have a written history in the minutes. The churches shall be taken in alphabetical order. Any new church shall be put at the bottom of the list.

Section 6. It shall be the duty of the Associational Director of Sunday School, Church Training Director, W.M.U. Director, Music Director, Brotherhood Director and Library Director to lead in the promotion of the activities of the organization of which he/she is head, and to preside over the meetings of the organization. These offices shall bring a report of their work to each quarterly meeting of the Associational Council.

Section 7. It shall be the duty of the Trustees to hold in trust all property of the Association.

Section 8. All reports, both Associational and Denominational, shall not exceed three hundred (300) words except the Treasurer's Report and the Director of Missions.

ARTICLE VIII. RULES OF ORDER

Section 1. All business shall be conducted and all discussions carried on in the manner prescribed in 'Roberts' Rules of Order Revised".

Section 2. The method of voting shall be by show of hands or by the will of the body.

Section 3. The simple majority shall prevail in all cases except as otherwise provided in this Constitution, provided that any member may at any time call for a written ballot or roll call of doubtful issues.

Section 4. A ruling by the presiding officer shall be final unless appeal be had from such ruling to the entire body present.

Section 5. A question having been decided twice by vote in the same attitude at a regular session of the Association shall not be introduced again except by consent of the body as expressed by a majority vote.

Section 6. A least one-fifth of the messengers enrolled shall be necessary to constitute a quorum.

ARTICLE IX. TIME OF MEETING

Section 1. The Association shall hold its annual meeting on Tuesday before the 4th Sunday in October and a Spring Inspirational Meeting on Tuesday before the 4th Sunday in April. However, in the case of some unavoidable circumstances that makes a change in the date of the annual meeting necessary, either the Associational Council or the Executive Promotion Committee, preferably the Executive Promotion Committee, shall have the authority to change said date provided at least two (2) weeks in advance of the new date for the annual meeting.

Section 2. In the event of some emergency that makes a called meeting of the Association necessary, either the Associational Council or the Executive Promotion Committee shall have the authority to call for a sepcial meeting of the Association, provided that a notice of the time and place and purpose of such a called meeting shall be mailed to the Pastors and Clerks of the Churches of the Association at least two (2) weeks in advance of the time set for the called meeting.

ARTICLE X. THE ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR

Section 1. The Associational year shall begin the first of October and close the last day of the following September.

ARTICLE XI. THE EXECUTIVE PROMOTION COMMITTEE

Section 1. The Executive Promotion Committee shall be composed of the Pastor of each church in the Association, the two (2) members (either men or women) represented by each church in the Association on the church letter, and the following Associational officers: Associational Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, W.M.U. Director, Brotherhood Director, Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian, Music Director, Library Director, and Chairmen of all standing committees.

Section 2. It shall act for the Association in the interim between the annual sessions.

Section 3. The duty of this committee shall be to carry out the policies and will of the Association. It shall not take any action contravening the will of the Association; nor shall it initiate any new policies or practices binding on the Association unless specificially directed, provided: That in an adequate emergency it may take such action as it may deem necessary, but such action shall in every case be submitted to the next meeting of the

Association for appropriate consideration. It shall make a full and complete report of its activities at the next Associational Meeting. It shall meet quarterly and as often thereafter as is necessary to carry out the policies and will of the Association. A meeting of this committee may be called at any time by the chairman, and it shall be his duty to call a meeting upon the request of any five (5) members of this committee.

ARTICLE XII. ASSOCIATIONAL COUNCIL

Section 1. The Association shall have an Associational Council composed of the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Church Training Director, Sunday School Director, W.M.U. Director, Brotherhood Director, Music Director, Library Director, Chairman of Finance, Evangelism, Missions Committee and Pastor/Staff Self Enrichment Committee of the Pastors' Conference. The representative shall be selected by the Pastors' Conference.

Section 2. The Vice-Moderator shall be chairman of this Council.

Section 3. This Council shall counsel and advise any committee or church in the Columbus Baptist Association on any subject which has been submitted to it.

Section 4. This Council shall meet prior to the regular meeting of the Executive Promotion Committee. The chairman of this Council shall bring to each of the Executive Promotion Committee a report of its work.

Section 5. This Council is responsible for the supervision of the work of the Director of Missions and shall study carefully the program of work for the entire Association and the needs of all the churches. In the light of this study, the Council shall work out an annual Calendar of Activities for the Association to be presented to the Executive Promotion Committee, to run concurrently with the Calendar Year.

ARTICLE XIII. STANDING COMMITTEES AND DUTIES

Section 1. Committee on Committees - This Committee shall be composed of five (5) members which said members shall come from different churches within the Association.

(a) It shall be the duty of this Committee to be present at the annual meeting of the Association when called upon by the Moderator, a nomination for the membership of all standing committees of the Association unless otherwise provided in this Constitution.

Section 2. Nominating Committee - The Nominating Committee shall be composed of at least five (5) members. The Nominating Committee shall nominate all officers proposed by the Constitution. After they are nominated the Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, W.M.U. Director, Music Director, Baptist Men's Director and Librarian shall enlist and propose a full slate of organizational leaders to the Nominating Committee. After the Nominating Committee makes its report to the Association, other nominations shall be in order from the floor.

Section 3. Program Committee - The duty of this Committee is to plan the program for the annual meeting of the Association and bring it to the Executive Promotion Committee for discussion and approval. The Committee should begin its work well in advance of the meeting of the Association and should make sure that those requested to make reports are prepared and on hand. Copies of the program should be prepared and distributed to the messengers and visitors at the Associational Meeting.

Section 4. Finance Committee - This Committee should keep a close watch on the needs of the Association for an adequate budget and for a well-balanced program of work and should be prepared to bring to the Association in Annual Session a proposed budget. This Committee should also be prepared to advise the Treasurer of the Association during the year concerning the items in the budget to the end that the Association may be kept in a healthy financial condition. It shall be the duty of the Committee to see that an audit of the Treasurer's books be made following the close of the Associational Year and presented to each Annual Meeting of the Association.

Section 5. Credentials Committee -

a. It shall be the work of this Committee to make proper investigation of churches that express a desire to affiliate with the Association concerning their being orthodox in faith and cooperative in spirit, to report to the Association in Annual Session their findings and recommendations concerning the acceptance or rejection of such churches.

b. If invited this Committee shall go to any church for the purpose of edifying Christian fellowship.

Section 6. Committee on Ordination.

a. This Committee shall consist of three (3) ordained ministers presently serving as pastors in the Association and two (2) ordained deacons.

b. This Committee shall serve only in an advisory capacity and, when invited by a church in the Association, shall assist in the examination, preparation and ordination of candidates for the Gospel Ministry.

Section 7. Committee on Evangelism - This Committee should seek to keep alive the fires of evangelism in all the meetings of all the organizations of the Association, encourage evangelistic services in churches not reporting baptism and help provide evangelistic services in unchurched sections within the bounds of the Association, to organize and promote the Simultaneous Revivals, and to promote any County-wide Evangelistic services. This Committee shall be organized in accordance with the suggested Southern Baptist Program of Evangelism.

Section 8. Missions Committee - This Committee shall keep alert to any development that may make a new church or branch Sunday School necessary, counsel with group considering a new church or branch Sunday School about the necessity of such organizations, assist in organizing new churches, seek to encourage the best location possible when new churches are formed. This Committee shall also, when invited by the Vacation Bible School Director or the Director of Missions, assist in promoting and maintaining Vacation Bible School wherever needed in the Association. It shall encourage pastorless, part-time churches to form fields with pastors located as near the center as possible, assist churches when called upon or when there is an evident need, when such is welcomed, to find most suitable pastors, and to serve as a contact for worthy men desiring to become pastors.

Section 9. Committee on Denominational Agencies - This Committee shall consist of one person representing each of the following: Cooperative Program, Baptist Hospital, Children's Homes, Denominational Literature, Homes for the Aging, Baptist Colleges, Ministers' Retirement, and any other cause, agency or institution deemed advisable. It shall be the responsibility of each of these to see that the interests of these causes and agencies are kept before the Association and churches at all times, and that proper report concerning the progress and needs of these causes and agencies are presented to the Associational Meetings.

Section 10. Committee on Libraries - It shall be the duty of this Committee to plan and promote church library work in the Association. It should encourage each church without a library to start one, and help in stabilizing those already in operation. The Committee should assist churches in starting their libraries and help them in organizing their library committee. The Committee should also plan and promote a program of training for all church librarians.

Section 11. Constitutional Committee - It shall be the duty of the Committee to study the Constitution of our Association and to recommend to the Association at its Annual Session such changes, amendments or revisions as may be deemed necessar and appropriate in accordance with the needs of the Columbus Baptist Association.

Section 12. Resolutions Committee - It shall be the duty of this Committee to prepare and present to the Association at its Annual Session such resolutions and other reports as may be appropriate and in order for consideration by the Association.

Section 13. Time, Place and Preacher Committee - It shall be the duty of this Committee to plan and prepare for the sessions of the Columbus Baptist Association and to secure a preacher and alternate for the Fall Session and to do such other acts and things as may be necessary to provide the proper facilities for such Annual Meetings of the Columbus Baptist Association.

Section 14. Christian Social Ministries - The work of this Committee is to create an awareness in the Baptist churches of Columbus Baptist Association of the teachings and ministries of Jesus Christ in attempting to meet the needs of the total person in light of the Gospel. Workshops will be held to point out needs of persons and possible ways in which we may become involved to meet those needs.

Section 15. Christian Life Council - The work of the Christian Life Council is to be alert and call to the attention any encroachment upon our religious freedom. Working through its chairman it shall report at each Executive Promotion Committee meeting any matter that appears to be in contradiction to our belief.

Section 16. Deacon Representative - The Deacon Representative shall be responsible for seeing that at least one training session (workshop or retreat) shall be conducted for deacons from across the Association during each Associational Year.

Section 17. Energy Consultant - The Energy Consultant will prepare himself to the extent that he will stand ready to make suggestions on how a church may conserve energy.

ARTICLE XIV. REVISION

This Constitution may be immediately revised at any regular session of the Association by a two-thirds vote of the messengers present provided notice of such revision shall be given in the afternoon session and then voted on in the evening session.

GUIDELINES FOR THE
DIRECTOR OF ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS

I. EMPLOYMENT

A. HOW EMPLOYED

1. The Association employs it Director upon the recommendation of the Associational Council and by vote of the Association in the Annual Session or by the Executive Promotion Committee between sessions.

B. TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT

1. The Director is employed for an indefinite period of time. The Association or the Executive Promotion Committee may terminate the service of the Director by vote provided that sixty (60) days notice has been given before services are terminated. The missionary may terminate his services provided sixty (60) days notice is given. By agreement of the Director and the Executive Promotion Committee the sixty (60) days may not be required.
2. Salary for the Director shall be paid as stated in the budget of the Association.
3. Retirement for the Director is provided by the Association by paying an amount equal to 10% of his salary for retirement funds.
4. A housing allowance, a travel allowance, and convention and conference allowances are provided as stated in the budget.
5. The Director is allowed two (2) weeks of vacation time annually to be taken at his discretion. Vacation time may not be accumulated.
6. The Director may hold two (2) weeks of revivals each year, exclusive of vacation time for which he may keep any honorarium given.
7. The Director shall be allowed sick leave with pay for a period of two (2) weeks annually, the total credit thus accumulated not to exceed forty-four (44) business days. Should illness exceed the accumulated sick leave time, the vacation time may be added to cover additional days.
8. The Director will establish and maintain office hours enabling the public to contact him at the prescribed hours.
9. The 'Normal work week will be five (5) days. The Director will arrange with the Associational Council as to his 'days off' and holidays."

II. RELATIONSHIPS

A. TO THE ASSOCIATION

1. The Director is reponsible to the Associational Council as prescribed by Article XII, Section 5 of the Constitution.
2. The Director recognizes the Moderator as the chief officer of the Association and works in close cooperation with him.
3. The Director counsels with the Associational Council in all matters that relate to his work. This Council is responsible in all budget matters that relate to the living provisions and office arrangements of the Director.
4. The Director shall promote the work of the Association cooperating with the churches, their Pastors and Officers, and the Associational Committees and Officers.
5. The Director of Missions shall make a report to the Associational Council and to the Executive Promotion Committee at their meetings.

B. TO THE CHURCHES

1. The Director may work in the churches upon invitation and as he deems wise.

2. The Director works with the churches only through or with full consent of the pastors.

3. The Director counsels with individuals from churches upon their request concerning individual matters or matters of church programs and may give information to these individuals provided he does not assume the role of pastor to the individual or in any way threatens to impair the relationship of the individual to his pastor.

4. The Director leads and guides the Officers of the Association in planning training events and other programs designed to strengthen the work of the Churches. The Churches are free to avail themselves to these opportunities as they will.

C. TO THE DENOMINATION

1. The Director keeps himself informed about the work of the Convention and their Agencies and presents this information to the Pastors, Associational Churches, and individuals as he has opportunity.

2. The Director interprets the work of the denomination in the Association and engages the Churches to support the work of the denomination with prayers, personal lives and finances.

III. THE WORK OF THE DIRECTOR

A. ADMINISTRATION

1. The Director is the chief administrative (promotional) officer of the Association. He carries out the programs of the Association as directed by the Association or the Associational Council.

2. Other employees of the Association are responsible to the Director in all matters in which their work relates to the Association.

3. The Director as chief administrative (promotional) officer is responsible for evaluation of all programs and seeks to counsel with the Association concerning their effectiveness and make proposals as to strengthening or improving the Programs.

B. MISSION WORK

1. In cooperation with the Missions Committee, the Director will seek out places of mission need and seek to enlist an appropriate church to meet these needs.

2. In the event no church can be enlisted to meet these needs, upon the instruction of the Missions Committee, the Director may lead in a program to meet the need in the name of the Association.

C. OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES

1. The Director works in close cooperation with the officers of the Association, lending assistance as needed.

2. The Director is an ex-officio member of all committees of the Association.

D. PROMOTION

1. The Director shall promote the whole program of the Association, the Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention.

E. THE OFFICE

1. The office is maintained by the Association for the use of the Director and the necessary staff.

2. The Director is responsible for the operation of the office with guidance as necessary from the Associational Council.

3. He offers counsel and guidance to other office personnel as needed.

4. He keeps on hand needed free materials for churches and members.

5. He prepares calendars, booklets and letters as needed to carry out the duties of his office.

6. He shall mail out a monthly newsletter.

7. He collects periodicals and materials of value for an Associational library.

8. He purchases and provides suggestions for the purchase of audio-visual equipment and materials for loans to churches.

9. He is the chief public relations officer of the Association both through the church and through the usual communications media.

10. He may add other duties and responsibilities as directed by the Associaton or the Associational Council and Executive Promotion Committee.

GUIDELINES FOR OFFICE ASSISTANT

1. The Association shall employ an Office Assistant who is responsible to the Director of Missions and the Associational Council.
2. The Office Assistant shall be acquainted with the function and operation of each piece of equipment.
3. The Office Assistant shall assign upon request any equipment and check it back into the office noting its condition.
4. The Office Assistant is responsible for the cleanliness of the office building.
5. The Office Assistant may have the privilege of doing work other than the Association's during office hours with the compensation contributed to the Association at the rate per hour of the associational pay scale. The Associational work shall take preference over the outside request.
6. The Office Assistant is to supervise anyone using the equipment in the Associational Office during the prescribed office hours.
7. The Office Assistant shall be granted two (2) weeks of vacation per year.

EXCEPTIONS:

1. Only office personnel shall use the IBM typewriter with memory.

COLUMBUS BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Our Association dates back to 1805 when it was first known as Cape Fear. It existed until 1898. For a long time the Cape Fear Association included churches in Robeson, Columbus, Bladen and Brunswick Counties with some in Pender and a few in South Carolina near the state line.

This was twenty-five (25) years before our Baptist State Convention was organized and sixteen (16) years after George Washington became the first President of the United States.

This southeastern part of North Carolina had been thinly settled, but along about this time a number of families had moved into this section from other parts of this and other states. During the prior half century many Scotch and Irish families had come from Europe and settled along the Cape Fear River and outlying territory.

Religious interest had been rather low in some of this territory and churches were few and far between. A few Methodist churches had been organized and Bishop Asbury made a journey through this section in 1801, organizing some other churches.

Some churches believed in missions and some others said that God would save people in His own way and time. In some churches there were men who held to Calvinistic doctrine and beliefs of the Primitive Baptists.

Settlements and farms in this part of the state were widely scattered. Roads were poor and many of the people had very little education. Yet, people at that time appeared to know their neighbors fairly well although their homes might have been thirty or forty miles away. Their usual manner of travel was on horseback when too far to walk.

The churches that are members of the Columbus Baptist Association today that were members of the original association and the date of their acceptance are listed here: Porter Swamp entered the association in 1830; Iron Hill in 1831; Pleasant Plains in 1836; Mount Tabor (Tabor City) in 1838; Macedonia in 1839; Western Prong in 1843; Cherry Grove in 1846; Pleasant Hill in 1848; White Marsh in 1852, (which is also the oldest church in our association, being established in 1765); Whiteville First in 1863; Sweet Home in 1864; Piney Forest in 1869; Cedar Grove in 1870; Gapway and New Hope in 1874; Bogue Chapel (Hallsboro) and Fair Bluff in 1876; Oak Dale in 1884; China Grove in 1890; and Smyrna in 1892.

During the period between the Civil War and the close of the century there were increases in people, farming, roads and schools. There was more interest in church work and in most communities Sunday Schools were organized. Most of the people were poor and living standards continued low for many years. Public schools were available to most children, but usually for only two or three months per year. Many people were illiterate.

In 1888 the first Columbus Baptist Association was formed from churches withdrawing from the Cape Fear Association. This newly organized association remained in existence until 1898. Many of those still existing churches were members. These churches and the year they were admitted to the Association follows:

In 1888, New Hope, Union Valley and Whiteville First became members. Williamson's Cross Roads joined the association in 1898, followed by Chadbourn and China Grove in 1891. The year 1892 brought many additions as the Cross Roads (Lennon's), Griffin's Cross Roads (Evergreen), Mount Tabor (Tabor City), Macedonia, Oak Dale, Piney Forest, Pleasant Hill and Smyrna were accepted. Then in 1894 Cheerful Hope, Cherry Grove and Porter Swamp became members. This association did not exist but eleven (11) years and so in 1899 the Cape Fear - Columbus Association was formed.

Those charter members were Bogue Chapel (which changed its name to Hallsboro in 1924); Cedar Grove, Cheerful Hope, Cherry Grove, China Grove, Lennon's Cross Roads, Macedonia, Mount Tabor (Tabor City), Mount Zion, New Hope, Oak Dale, Piney Forest, Pleasant Hill, Pleasant Plains, Porter Swamp, Smyrna, Sweet Home, Western Prong, White Marsh, Whiteville First and Williamson's Cross Roads. In 1903 Hinson's Cross Roads became a part, Boardman and Union Chapel in 1904, Corinth in 1905, Fair Bluff in 1908, Cerro Gordo and Evergreen in 1909, New Berlin (which changed its name to Delco in 1923) and Lennon's Cross Roads in 1911, Clarendon in 1915, Bolton in 1918 and Union Valley in 1934. Chadbourn and Gapway became members but no dates were given.

In the period before so many churches left the Cape Fear Association there was always a great interest in the annual meeting. Attendance was usually large and the sessions continued from Wednesday or Thursday until Sunday. Many delegates would attend from long distances, considering their means of travel. When the annual meeting was held near a railroad station some would come by train, but in many cases they came by horse and buggy starting the day before the meeting.

The attendance was large and the people started weeks ahead in preparing for the great number of visitors they expected. It took quite a number oj pigs and chickens to feed so many. Many of the homes took more guests than they could take care of, but they were glad to have the privilege of entertaining the folds from other churches. Many times the church building would not hold half the crowd and overflow services were held under the trees in the church yard. Many who attended the association were greatly interested in religious services, of course, but the social features were ad added attraction. Many of the churches complained if they could not have the associational meeting with their church every few years.

In 1936 the Columbus Baptist Association was formed with the following charter members: Antioch, Boardman, Bolton, Cedar Grove, Cerro Gordo, Chadbourn, Cheerful Hope, Cherry Grove, China Grove, Clarendon, Corinth, Delco, Evergreen, Fair Bluff, Gapway, Hallsboro, Hinson's Cross Roads, Lennon's Cross Roads, Macedonia, Mount Tabor (Tabor City), Mount Zion, New Hope, Oak Dale, Piney Forest, Pleasant Hill, Pleasant Plains, Porter Swamp, Smyrna, Union Valley, Waccamaw (Lake Waccamaw), Western Prong, White Marsh, Whiteville First and Williamson's Cross Roads.

These were followed by Sweet Home in 1940 and Union Chapel in 1941.

In 1949 we saw more interest in the denominational work, such as missions, orphanages, and education than was shown generations before.

Churches have continued to be admitted through the years. These included Iron Hill in 1950.

John T. Biddle came to serve as Superintendent of Missions on July 1, 1950.

Calvary became a part in 1951, Brunswick in 1952, Riegelwood in 1953, Forest Lawn in 1955 and Trinity in 1956.

Mr. Biddle resigned as Superintendent of Missions on June 18, 1956.

West Whiteville became a part in 1959.

Henry Powell became Superintendent of Missions on February 15, 1959 and served until July 15, 1961.

He was followed by Arch Cree who served from May 1, 1962 until June 1, 1967.

William Ross came to us on July 6, 1967.

In 1967 Cedar Grove completed a new brick structure, Antioch held its first Homecoming and Trinity began its prison Sunday School ministry.

In 1968 Whiteville First erected a library in February, and Macedonia was offered land for a parking lot on April 14. Also in this year, Oak Dale had land given in May, Sweet Home erected a new educational building and fellowship hall and Antioch observed its Golden Anniversary.

The year 1969 brought about the installation of air conditioning at Antioch and on October 19 Westside held a ground breaking for a new building. On October 26 Trinity held a ground breaking for a new sanctuary.

The happenings of 1970 included a note burning on June 13 for Brunswick.

Our Superintendent of Missions, Mr. Ross, resigned July 1, 1970.

We were fortunate in securing Hoyle Langford to become our Superintendent on August 15, 1970.

On August 31 Westside was constituted and became a member of the association. September 30 was the dedication date at Trinity for their sanctuary. November 22 brought the ground breaking services for Oak Dale's new sanctuary and on December 6 Clarendon held a ground breaking for its present building.

In 1971 Faith was organized and became a member of the association, as well as Friendly Chapel.

The year 1971 was a giant stepping stone in the life of Columbus Baptist Association. Property and a house was bought for the associational office at 208 South Thompson Street, Whiteville at a cost of $10,000. Sepcial cash gifts were received from Mount Zion, Union Valley, Pleasant Plains, Cherry Grove RA's, Marse Grant, Miss Lena Hughes and an anonymous donor.

The following items were donated: an occasional chair was given by J. A. Applewhite, drapes for the reception room and office were given by the Trinity WMU, drapes for the conference room were given by New Hope; chairs for the conference room were given by Tabor City. The office desk was given by Whiteville First and a plant was given by Earl Edmunds.

Special services were given by Jack Hooks for legal work and S. P. Stanley gave the appraisal of property.

Those serving as trustees were Arthur Prince of Tabor City, Winfred Richardson of Fair Bluff and Cecil Stanley of Forest Lawn.

The following donated their time in remodeling the building. Gene Ezzell, Carl Hooks, Richard Skipper and Dave Norris of Trinity; Delma Ezzell, Duval Norris, Nathan Lee, Memory Evans, Larry Ezzell and Charles Blackmon of Brunswick; Grover Vaughan and James Leary of Faith; Ed Worley, Jimmy Lanehart and Martin Benton of Western Prong; Paul Johnson of Hallsboro, Walter Rhodes of Pleasant Hill and Colon Ezzell of Pleasant Plains.

When Open House was held, refreshments were served by the WMU Council.

Prior to the purchase of this building, the associational office was located in the home of the Superintendent of Missions at 419 South Franklin Street, Whiteville. The office was relocated in March, 1971.

Also happenings in the association was the first service held in its new building at Oak Dale on June 27. Trinity opened a day care center on August 28. On December 12 Oak Dale held a cornerstone laying service.

In 1972 many things continued to happen in the churches. Sweet Home built a sanctuary and Clarendon dedicated its new building which was debt free in seven years. In April Pleasant Hill held its first service in its present sanctuary and Brunswick purchased land for a parsonage. In November Brunswick also purchased an organ and a public address system.

The year 1973 brought about the dedication of the educational building and note burning for Western Prong on January 28. Macedonia had a deed given on November 22 for land to be used as a fellowship hall. During the year Pleasant Hill was debt free of its sanctuary and Sweet Home purchased an organ and piano.

On November 17, 1974, Oak Dale held a note burning for its sanctuary. In November New Hope held a Centennial Program. The characters were descendents of charter members.

In 1975 the association gained another giant step forward. After returning from a mission trip to Ecuador, the Superintendent of Missions shared his vision of a special need there. A goal of $2,500 was set to

raise funds from our association to purchase a church lot there. This goal was surpassed by $1,000. Those churches participating in this mission endeavor included Bolton, Cedar Grove, Chadbourn, Cherry Grove, China Grove, Lake Waccamaw, Mount Zion, New Hope, Oak Dale, Piney Forest, Pleasant Hill, Pleasant Plains, Porter Swamp, Riegelwood, Sweet Home, Tabor City, Trinity, Western Prong, Westside, Whiteville First, West Whiteville and Williamson's Cross Roads.

Also in 1975, $1,500 was given for remodeling the associational office.

Happenings in the churches included a tract of land given to Iron Hill, West Whiteville's completed sanctuary and Antioch purchased a new piano. In April Cerro Gordo's parsonage was completed and on November 26 Porter Swamp held dedication services for its new fellowship hall. On December 6 land was given to Macedonia for a new educational building. December 7 brought about the ordination of Neil J. Harrelson by Brunswick.

In 1976 the association voted to change from a two (2) day meeting in the Fall to one day in the Spring for inspiration and one in the Fall for taking care of business. The association was also debt free of the purchase of the associational building.

Happenings in the churches during this year included the educational building for Macedonia being completed, Western Prong remodeled its sanctuary, West Whiteville erected a steeple and Pleasant Hill purchased a new Baldwin piano. On June 6 Whiteville First dedicated its pipe organ. On August 26 Westside's educational building was debt free. In September Smyrna purchased land for an educational building and Trinity sold their parsonage. In October Antioch dedicated its new educational building and on October 23 ground breaking services were held for new facilities at Bolton. December 26 saw Westside's parsonage debt free.

The year 1977 brought changes within the associational leadership. A World Missions Conference was held in February. Mr. Langford resigned April 30.

Among the churches, Delco decided to become full-time and build a parsonage, White Marsh's pews were covered, Williamson's Cross Roads' fellowship hall was built, Sweet Home constructed a new educational building, Riegelwood began a Senior Citizens group and Cherry Grove had the honor of ordaining Elmore Strickland to the Gospel Ministry. In May Pleasant Hill installed central air. August brought the re-location of Calvary and the building of its educational building.

On August 17 Walter Jones became Director of Missions for our association.

November 8 was an important day in the life of Clarendon Baptist Church when a note burning service was held. Also during the year an addition was built on the church. November 22 was the day Bolton held its first services in its new building.

The year 1978 was filled with growth among the churches. Porter Swamp had a facial uplift, added padded pews and wainscoting. Sweet Home added

a paved parking lot and Cerro Gordo purchased a new organ. Bolton dedicated its new building on January 8 and sold the old building on March 18. Trinity held dedication services for its new sign on March 15. In June Brunswick sold its parsonage and the church exceeded its budget for the year over $16,000. In August Thomas and Kim Hinton of Trinity were off to Tanzania, East Africa as journeymen for two years. Antioch held ground breaking services for its sanctuary on September 4. Faith dedicated their building on October 1 they had purchased from Calvary. At the October annual meeting Nakina was accepted into membership of the association.

The year 1979 held its important events also. Hinson's Cross Roads remodeled its nursery and painted its church and parsonage, White Marsh purchased a new organ, Whiteville First covered their pews and a memorial garden was established, Pleasant Hill installed new carpet in the sanctuary, while Lennon's Cross Roads completed its fellowship hall and Pleasant Plains dedicated a church library. March brought the completion of the Delco parsonage. On July 17 Bolton's steeple was erected and November 25 saw the ordaining of Dennis Phillips, Minister of Music, at Whiteville First, to the Gospel Ministry. At the annual associational meeting in October Peace was accepted into our fellowship.

The year 1980 was filled with events in the churches. The association employed its first full-time office assistant. She was Wanda Thompson Horton. Events occuring included Chadbourn paying off an indebtedness of property, Faith installed heating and air as well as new lighting. Trinity purchased a new piano, Union Valley began a ministry to shutins, Westside bricked its building, White Marsh made improvements to its parsonage, Cerro Gordo dedicated a new brass Bible stand and candlesticks as well as several men from Trinity being recognized by Governor Hunt for their prison Sunday School ministry.

January 6 brought happiness to New Hope when it broke ground for its new educational building. Also on January 6 Antioch held its first services in its new building.

January brought sadness to the Tabor City church when it was destroyed by fire. They did not sit still though and immediately began to remodel the old parsonage for the purpose of using it for offices. New construction of the educational building was begun soon.

In February Nakina purchased land for a new building. March brought to Delco its first full-time pastor, Dr. George N. Knight. On March 16 Antioch held dedication services for its new sanctuary.

Delco held a note burning service on June 29 for its new parsonage. Calvary's sanctuary was completed in October and Peace held dedication services November 9 for its new building. New Hope held dedication services for its new educational building on November 2.

In 1981 things were continuing to prosper all over the association. A special committee was formed to look into the future needs of our association.

A most impressive World Missions Conference was held February 22 - 29 with twenty-five (25) churches participating. They included Brunswick, Cerro Gordo, Chadbourn, Cheerful Hope, Cherry Grove, China Grove, Clarendon,

Corinth, Delco, Evergreen, Fair Bluff, Hinson's Cross Roads, Lake Waccamaw, Mount Zion, New Hope, Piney Forest, Pleasant Hill, Pleasant Plains, Riegelwood, Smyrna, Sweet Home, Tabor City, Trinity, Western Prong, and Whiteville First. The foreign missionaries included Robert Williams (Honduras), Mrs. Clarence (Ruth) Griffin (Indonesia), Doug Bryant (Ghana), Marvin Reynolds, (Botswana) and James Crittendon (Phillipines). The home missionaries were Ray Slaughter and Herbert Slaughter of West Virginia, Clyde Risen and Eugene Warrick of New Jersey and Terrell Moore of Ohio. Our state missionaries came from Baptist Hosptial who sent Calvin Knight, Neal Peyton who works with our deaf and E. C. (Cleve) Wilkie who is coordinator of our cooperative effort with the West Virginia convention to build 200 churches by 1985.

Also Delco began the Deacon Ministry Plan, Union Chapel compelted a new fellowship hall, bricked the church and added air and central heat, as well as a new vestibule. Union Valley began construction of a fellowship hall, White Marsh was happy to be debt free and West Whiteville covered their pews. On February 23 Williamson's Cross Roads organized WMU in their church. In the early morning hours of April 23 Cedar Grove lost its building to fire.

July brought a vision not experienced before when Riegelwood Church enlisted sixty-six (66) people to spend the week of July 13 - 17 in Kingwood, West Virginia constructing a church building, taking religious censuses and conducting Backyard Bible Clubs. This enthusiasm has certainly been caught up in the association and it is hoped that the summer of 1982 (July 12 - 16), will lead some 200 people to this vision also to participating in completing this building and minister in more ways. Members of several other churches participated in this mission endeavor. Their testimonies are over-whelming of what God did through them while they were there.

On September 20 dedication services were held for the new educational building at Tabor City. At the annual meeting in October a flag was commissioned to fly at the State Convention in November. This was designed by Dr. George N. Knight and made by Mrs. Dora Adams.

At the present time the association has six (6) Seminary Extension centers across the county with one being conducted in the local prison. Also serving in a prison capacity are three men (Charles Simmons, Bobby Fields and Carl Hooks) who rotate conducting worship services there on Sunday morning.

The lake ministry has proven very successful in that worship services are held each Sunday morning at Dupree Landing for the campers at Lake Waccamaw. Mrs. Sally Council has been so gracious as to let us use her facilities for many years.

There are over one hundred twenty-five (125) tutors and over two hundred (200) students have been taught to read and write since literacy work began. Mrs. Ruth Whitley leads this very important part of the missions endeavors.

Some of the most efficient and time-saving machiney the associational office has purchased in recent years have been a video machine and camera, tape duplicator, electric stenciler, new IBM typewriter with a memory bank and a calculator.

Many of the facts used in preparing this history came from minutes of the Cape Fear-Columbus and Columbus Baptist Associational minutes from 1933, the history compiled in 1967, the Baptist Historical Collection at Wake Forest University, Winston Salem, associational church letters and church histories submitted from each church.

In 1982 the Association saw the following events happen within the churches. At Brunswick a shelter and driveway were added as well as the dedication of their baptistry. Cerro Gordo celebrated their 75th anniversary. Naking completed their fellowship hall and educational building in March, Porter Swamp received a gift of $10,000 for upkeep of the church cemetery, and the Tabor City Youth Choir won first place at the World's Fair in Knoxville, Tennessee in the Choral Festival.

In 1983 Bolton completed its parsonage, Brunswick added a steeple, Cedar Grove held dedication services for their new facilities on May 29, Delco held ground breakin services for an educational building and fellowship hall, Lennon's Crossroads licensed Gene L. Hickman, Jr., to the Gospel Ministry on August 14, Oak Dale celebrated its 100th anniversary on September 25, Tabor City began construction of their sanctuary, Union Valley paved its parking lot, Western Prong remodeled its basement and ordained Tommy Fields to the Gospel Ministry on August 28, and Whiteville First did a face-life of their sanctuary.

In 1984 we saw the following happenings in the churches. Cerro Gordo remodeled their sanctuary, Cheerful Hope added a new roof, Delco completed their educational building and acquired additional land, Evergreen built a new fellowship hall, Friendly Chapel relocated to County Road 1428, changed its name to South Whiteville Baptist Church and voted to ordain Bobby Waddell to the Gospel Ministry, Hinson's Crossroads ordained Lewis Howard to the Gospel Ministry on November 4, Peace constructed new Sunday School rooms and a fellowship hall, Smyrna completed their fellowship hall, Tabor City voted to ordain Jim Smith to the Gospel Ministry, Western Prong acquired additional land and Westside built a new sanctuary.

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Year	Place	Moderator	Clerk	Sermon
1805	Saddle Tree	Abraham Baker	Samuel Buxton	
1806	Bear Marsh	Abraham Baker	Samuel Buxton	Job Goodman
1807	Seven Miles	Francis Oliver	Samuel Buxton	Job Thigpen
1808	Moore's Creek	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	Job Thigpen
1809	Chapel Run	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	Ezekiel Bryant
1810	Cape Fear	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	
1811	Nahungo	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	Job Goodman
1812	Ashpole	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	J. A. Ronaldson
1813	Thunder Swamp	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	William Wells
1814	Muddy Creek	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	Job Goodman
1815	Beulah	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	
1816	Bultail	Joseph Thames	Samuel Buxton	Jacob Williams
1817	Ashpole	Job Goodman	Samuel Buxton	Isaac Etheridge
1818	Limestone	Job Goodman	Allen Morris	David Thames
1819	Thunder Swamp	Job Goodman	Allen Morris	Job Goodman
1820	Nahungo	Job Goodman	Allen Morris	John Gornto
1821	Riley's Creek	Job Goodman	Allen Morris	Job Goodman
1822	Southwest	Job Goodman	Allen Morris	S. Reaves
1823	Bultail	George Fennel	A. Morris	A. Morris
1824	Cedar Creek	George Fennel	A. Morris	
1825	Bear Marsh	George Fennel	A. Morris	Jesse Rogers
1826	Saddle Tree	Job Goodman	A. Morris	A. Morris
1827	Ashpole	Job Goodman	Jas. McDaniel	
1828	Porter Swamp	Job Goodman	Jas. McDaniel	
1829	Saw Mill	Job Goodman	Jas. McDaniel	
1830	Saddle Tree	Job Goodman	Jas. McDaniel	
1831	Ashpole	Job Goodman	L. R. Simmons	
1832	Cross Roads	Solomon Reaves	L. R. Simmons	
1833	Bear Swamp	Chas. McAlister	Jas. McDaniel	
1834	Cape Fear	Chas. McAlister	Jas. McDaniel	
1835	Ebenezer	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	Robt. McNabb
1836	Fair Bluff	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	William Ayers
1837	Ashpole	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	Adel King
1838	Bear Swamp	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	David Thames
1839	Pleasant Grove	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	Elias Davis
1840	Cross Roads	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	J. F. McCall
1841	Seven Creeks	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	H. Lennon
1842	Beaver Dam	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	William Ayers
1843	Macedonia	Samuel Mims	Jas. McDaniel	J. C. Averitte
1844	Ashpole	Samuel Mims	Haynes Lennon	Furney Prevatt
1845	Bear Swamp		Haynes Lennon	Adel King
1846	Porter Swamp	John Smith	Haynes Lennon	F. Prevatt
1847	Cape Fear	John Smith	Haynes Lennon	W. Ayers
1848	Western Prong	John Smith	Haynes Lennon	Elias Davis
1849	Big Branch	John Smith	R. McDaniel	Z. Bullock
1850	Bear Swamp	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	William Ayers
1851	Cedar Creek	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	Elias Davis
1852	Back Swamp	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	F. Prevatt
1853	White Marsh	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	G. W. Hill

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1854	Spg. Branch (S.C.)	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	J. H. Cobb
1855	Big Branch	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	H. Lennon
1856	Cape Fear	Haynes Lennon	R. M. McRackan	F. Prevatt
1857	Cross Roads	Haynes Lennon	Ben Freeman	H. Lennon
1858	Ashpole	Haynes Lennon	Ben Freeman	D. B. Ayers
1859	Western Prong	Haynes Lennon	Ben Freeman	G. W. Hill
1860	Porter Swamp	Haynes Lennon	Ben Freeman	
1861	Antioch	Haynes Lennon	Ben Freeman	
1862	Pleasant Grove	Haynes Lennon	G. W. Hill	
1863	Cross Roads	Haynes Lennon	G. W. Hill	D. N. Gore
1864	Back Swamp	Furney Prevatt	G. W. Hill	R. W. Norton
1865	Bear Swamp (S.C.)	D. B. Ayers	G. W. Hill	R. W. Norton
1866	Ashpole	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	G. W. Hill
1867	Pleasant Hill	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	A. R. Pittman
1868	Mount Zion	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	E. D. Johnson
1869	Lumberton	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	D. N. Gore
1870	Pleasant Hill	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	H. Lennon
1871	Porter Swamp	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	J. W. Dickson
1872	Western Prong	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	A. R. Pittman
1873	Big Branch	H. Lennon	D. K. Bennett	D. K. Bennett
1874	Back Swamp	H. Lennon	D. K. Bennett	J. W. Dickson
1875	Bear Swamp (S.C.)	H. Lennon	D. K. Bennett	A. R. Pittman
1876	Cross Roads	H. Lennon	D. K. Bennett	D. J. Ray
1877	Mount Eilam	H. Lennon	D. K. Bennett	J. B. Richardson
1878	White Marsh	H. Lennon	G. W. Hill	J. W. Dickson
1879	Ashpole	J. W. Dickson	G. W. Hill	T. F. Pritchard
1880	Western Prong	Haynes Lennon	G. W. Hill	J. F. McMillan
1881	Piney Grove (S.C.)	Haynes Lennon	G. W. Hill	J. W. Dickson
1882	Hickory Grove	Haynes Lennon	G. W. Hill	G. McManaway
1883	Mount Zion	E. W. Wooten	J. F. McMillan	
1884	Piney Forest	J. W. Dickson	C. D. Frink	D. J. Ray
1885	Bogue Chapel	J. W. Dickson	G. W. Hill	J. F. McMillan
1886	Abottsburg	E. W. Wooten	G. W. Hill	A. D. Cohen
1887	Mount Pisgah	E. W. Wooten	G. W. Hill	E. W. Wooten
1888	Porter Swamp	E. W. Wooten	S. J. Porter	G. W. Hill
1889	Grittin's Cr. Rds.	E. W. Wooten	A. H. Porter	E. D. Johnson
1890	White Marsh	E. W. Wooten	A. H. Porter	F. F. Wooten
1891	Mount Pisgah	E. W. Wooten	A. H. Porter	A. H. Porter
1892	Shady Grove	E. W. Wooten	A. H. Porter	A. H. Porter
1893	Lebanon	E. W. Wooten	A. H. Porter	A. H. Porter
1894	Western Prong	G. W. Hill	D. H. Cook	G. W. Hill
1895	Shallotte	A. C. Meares	Isaac Jenrette	E. W. Wooten
1896	Mount Sinai	A. C. Meares	Isaac Jenrette	W. S. Ballard
1897	Pleasant Plains	A. C. Meares	Isaac Jenrette	J. A. Mintz
1898	Mount Zion	E. W. Wooten	H. Wyche	J. J. Adams
1899	Bogue Chapel	J. L. Memory	H. Wyche	J. G. Blalock
1900	Spring Branch	J. L. Memory	C. F. Ramsbottom	A. H. Porter
1901	Smyrna	J. L. Memory	A. H. Porter	J. J. Payseur

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1902	Pleasant Plains	W. S. Ballard	A. H. Porter	J. G. Blalock
1903	Mount Zion	W. S. Ballard	A. M. Kelly	F. T. Wooten
1904	Cross Roads	W. S. Ballard	A. M. Kelly	F. T. Wooten
1905	Chadbourn	W. S. Ballard	J. H. Williamson	J. G. Blalock
1906	Livingston Chapel	W. S. Ballard	J. H. Williamson	A. H. Porter
1907	Sweet Home	W. S. Ballard	J. H. Williamson	W. S. Ballard
1908	Bogue Chapel	J. R. Williamson	F. L. Jernigan	F. T. Wooten
1909	Western Prong	J. R. Williamson	A. M. Kelly	S. B. Wilson
1910	Mount Tabor	J. R. Williamson	A. M. Kelly	A. H. Porter
1911	China Grove	W. C. Graham	J. J. Hendren	C. C. Smith
1912	Clarkton	J. R. Williamson	J. J. Hendren	J. M. Page
1913	New Hope	J. R. Williamson	A. M. Kelly	J. H. Poteet
1914	Cheerful Hope	J. R. Williamson	A. M. Kelly	F. T. Wooten
1915	Cerro Gordo	J. R. Williamson	J. J. Hendren	D. P. Bridges
1916	Fair Bluff	J. R. Williamson	J. J. Hendren	C. J. Thompson
1917	Bogue Chapel	R. D. Covington	J. J. Hendren	W. P. Campbell
1918	Whiteville	R. D. Covington	J. J. Hendren	None
1919	Livingston Chapel	R. D. Covington	J. J. Hendren	I. T. Newton
1920	Porter Swamp	A. C. Chaffin	J. J. Hendren	A. C. Chaffin
1921	Macedonia	A. C. Chaffin	J. J. Hendren	W. Y. Quisenbery
1922	Mount Tabor	F. T. Wooten	W. A. Coleman	Hoyle Love
1923	Mount Zion	F. T. Wooten	I. T. Newton	W. B. Avery
1924	Bolton	F. T. Wooten	I. T. Newton	G. Van Stephens
1925	Cherry Grove	F. T. Wooten	J. J. Hendren	R. H. Satterfield
1926	Corinth	F. T. Wooten	J. J. Hendren	J. L. Martin
1927	Whiteville	F. T. Wooten	J. J. Hendren	F. T. Wooten
1928	Sweet Home	F. T. Wooten	Neil Thompson	B. P. Roach
1929	Hinsons' Cr. Rds.	F. T. Wooten	Neil Thompson	C. E. Maddrey
1930	New Hope	I. T. Newton	Neil Thompson	C. M. Pegram
1931	Fair Bluff	I. T. Newton	Neil Thompson	S. N. Lamb
1932	Western Prong	I. T. Newton	Neil Thompson	W. A. Coleman
1933	Hallsboro	I. T. Newton	Neil Thompson	C. V. Brooks
1934	Livingston Chapel	I. T. Newton	C. R. Hinton	R. J. Rasberry
1935	Cherry Grove	I. T. Newton	C. R. Hinton	C. R. Hinton
1936	Cerro Gordo	I. T. Newton	C. R. Hinton	T. S. Lawrence
1937	Mount Tabor	S. N. Lamb	R. B. Mallard	E. N. Johnson
1938	Pleasant Plains	S. N. Lamb	R. B. Mallard	D. G. Myers
1939	Whiteville	S. N. Lamb	R. B. Mallard	I. T. Newton
1940	Hallsboro	S. N. Lamb	R. B. Mallard	E. N. Johnson
1941	Chadbourn	C. N. Lamb	R. B. Rasberry	Winfrey Davis
1942	Evergreen	Winfrey Davis	R. B. Rasberry	G. Carl Lewis
1943	Clarendon	Winfrey Davis	R. B. Rasberry	G. M. Singletary
1944	Lennon's Cr. Rds.	Winfrey Davis	R. B. Rasberry	J. Byron Dosher
1945	Livingston Chapel	Winfrey Davis	R. B. Rasberry	E. Evans Unrich
1946	Hinson's Cr. Rds.	Winfrey Davis	R. B. Rasberry	A. C. Prevatt
1947	Hallsboro	Winfrey Davis	E. Evans Unrich	B. G. Bass
1948	Evergreen	W. K. Beasley	P. C. Grantt	P. C. Melton

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1949	Oak Dale, Smyrna	S. W. Jolly	P. C. Grantt	R. C. Foster
1950	Porter Swamp Cherry Grove	S. W. Jolly	P. C. Grantt	A. P. Stephens
1951	Mt. Tabor, New Hope, Fair Bluff	S. W. Jolly	P. C. Grantt	E. W. Glass
1952	Western Prong, Whiteville, New Hope	P. C. Grantt R. C. Foster	Staley Howard	
1953	Smyrna, Chabourn, Pleasant Plains	Donald Keyser	B. G. Bass	C. E. Brisson
1954	Oak Dale, White Marsh, Chadbourn	Donald Keyser	P. C. Grantt	I. V. Jones
1955	New Hope, Sweet Home, Iron Hill	P. C. Grantt	Ronald E. Rice	S. W. Jolly
1956	Tabor City, Whiteville, Hallsboro	P. C. Grantt	Ronald E. Rice	Paul O. Batson, Jr.
1957	Western Prong, Piney Forest, Chadbourn	Bill Hooks	Clyde Watson	Ray Harris
1958	Whiteville, Cerro Gordo, Chadbourn	Wyatt Coley	Clyde Watson	S. M. Dorton
1959	Fair Bluff, Cherry Grove, Cerro Gordo	Wyatt Coley	Clyde Watson	Oscar Holland
1960	Evergreen, Waccamaw	S. W. Jolly	Clyde Watson	Eugene Walter
1961	Porter Swamp, Trinity	Billy Hooks	Claude Huggins	D. M. Spell
1962	Tabor City, West Whiteville	Billy Hooks	Claude Huggins	Leo Hawkins James H. Johnson
1963	New Hope, Riegelwood	J. B. Jones	Arch Cree	Leon Thomas
1964	Hallsboro, Western Prong	J. B. Jones	Arch Cree	E. W. Glass
1965	Chadbourn, White Marsh	Maurice Gilliam	Arch Cree	Francis Chesson
1966	Lennon's Cr. Rds.	Maurice Gilliam	Arch Cree	Wayne Tyner
1967	Brunswick, Hinson's Cr. Rds.	Ben Nesmith, III	J. William Ross	Charles Bullock
1968	Waccamaw, West Whiteville	Ben Nesmith, III	J. William Ross	Grady Cline
1969	Trinity, Fair Bluff	Grady Cline	J. William Ross	William J. Furr

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1970	Cherry Grove, Smyrna	H. B. Whitley	H. E. Langford	D. T. Griffin Russell Cherry
1971	Cedar Grove, Williamson's Cr. Rds.	H. B. Whitley	Mrs. J. C. Todd	Thomas H. Lambert
1972	Cerro Gordo	C. H. Pinner	Mrs. Cecil Gurkin	David J. Solomon
1973	Sweet Home, Forest Lawn	C. H. Pinner	Mrs. Madge Langford	S. C. Davis
1974	Chadbourn, Western Prong	Frank Neville	Mrs. Madge Langford	Hughet Godwin
1975	Tabor City, Evergreen	Frank Neville	R. E. Whitley	Gwen McCormick
1976	Porter Swamp, Riegelwood	Tom Ray	R. E. Whitley	Claire Baker
1977	Whiteville, First Oak Dale	Tom Ray	Mrs. Wanda Horton	Ray Justice
1978	Bolton, Macedonia	Henry Foster	Ms. Wanda Horton	Roy Parker
1979	Hallsboro, White Marsh	Henry Foster	Ms. Wanda Horton	Thad Prevatte
1980	Lennon's Cr. Rds. Hinson's Cr. Rds.	Ed Worley	Ms. Wanda Horton	R. E. Carter
1981	New Hope, Antioch	Ed Worley	Ms. Wanda Horton	Sidney Britt
1982	Calvary, Fair Bluff	J. Wade Fowler	Ms. Wanda Horton	Brancie Stephens
1983	Mount Zion, Williamson's Cr. Rds.	J. Wade Fowler	Ms. Wanda Horton	Larry Knowles
1984	Cherry Grove, Tabor City	Bernard Lennon	Ms. Wanda Horton	Maurice Gilliam
1985	Chadbourn Delco	Bernard Lennon	Ms. Wanda Horton	J. P. Williams

WESTSIDE

The Tabor City Baptist Chapel, the idea of a mission sponsored by the Tabor City Baptist Church, was long in coming, but it was of the Lord. Several factors worked together in bringing it to pass.

First, the church began to get a vision of the moral and spiritual needs of the community. This vision was borne out of a community survey taken in October, 1964, and out of a weekly visitation, both of which revealed the hundreds of people without proper moral and spiritual guidance. By sharing this vision at Deacon's meetings, Brotherhood meetings, and Prayer Meetings, the idea soon permeated the entire church family. Another factor producing the mission was a deep dedication on the part of church members, which created concern on their part to the extent that they were willing to make a break with the Mother Church and work in a new area. Actually, ninety (90) per cent of the workers in the mission had already surrendered to work at this mission and to make a complete break from the Mother Church before it was actually established.

An all night prayer meeting with ten (10) persons attending, designed to seek the leadership of the Lord, concerning the church program, was held. It was during this prayer session that God spoke most clearly concerning the church mission. Jack Mansfield was called to be the pastor of the mission.

Bill Rogers preached the first sermon in the Tabor City Baptist Chapel with the attendance of sixty-eight (68).

During Mr. Mansfield's ministry, a Quonset Hut for a sanctuary was constructed which added much to the effectiveness of the mission in added space and also the sound of singing was wonderful.

Plans began taking shape for the construction of a new church on the beautiful 5.88 acre lot, purchased from Eugene Grainger, which was financed by the aid of the Baptist State Convention. Mr. Mansfield and a committee from the chapel visited and definitely settled upon a church building plan. Mr. Mansfield resigned in June, 1968, to accept a call to another church.

Haskell L. Sides began his ministry in April, 1969, and the building program again was promoted. Building interest was renewed and plans secured. On Sunday, October 19, 1969, the ground breaking ceremony was held and the building was soon to get underway.

The Westside Baptist Church was constituted on August 31, 1970.

Mr. Sides resigned July 30, 1972. On June 5, 1973, R. Ernest Poston was called to serve as pastor.

The first wedding was held August 17, 1974. The happy couple was Penny Soles and Danny Hinson.

Mr. Poston resigned as pastor June 1, 1976. On August 26, 1976, the debt was paid on the educational building and the parsonage was paid for December 26, 1976.

As of January 1, 1977, Westide Baptist Church was out of debt and looking forward to a new sanctuary to be built in the near future. In March, 1977, the church called Elmore Strickland to be the pastor. The church decided to carpet all the rooms in the present church building.

In 1980 the building was bricked.

Mr. Strickland resigned in March, 1983. In July, 1983, Tommy Fields came as pastor.

In 1984 a new sanctuary was completed.

Mr. Fields resigned in May, 1985.

WHITE MARSH

White Marsh Baptist Church was organized in 1765 by Ezekiel Hunter and is the oldest church in the Columbus Baptist Association. A Mr. Heustess continued to serve as pastor until 1773.

The congregation was widely scattered and their means of travel was on foot or horseback or oxcart over rugged roads.

In 1773 William Bryant served as pastor and his son, Ezekiel, replaced him.

The first house of worship was a long structure which was abandoned for some time in the 1800's due to a large tree falling on it. The building was repaired about 1900 and services were resumed. A. J. Freeman was pastor during this time. This church became a member of the Cape Fear Association when it was formed in 1816. A. J. Jones deeded an acre of land to the church on the north side of the White Hall Road in 1851 on which a log building was erected. The membership in 1876 numbered forty-five (45) males and sixty-nine (69) females. In 1885 there were fifty (50) members.

In 1900 the membership was one hundred five (105) with services held twice monthl with business meetings held on Saturday.

Sunday School was begun in 1903 with thirty (30) pupils.

In 1909, during the pastorate of A. H. Porter, a new building was constructed on the south side of White Hall Road on land given by William Sessions.

In 1910 the congregation moved into the new church where the pastor's home now stands. The church membership was seventy-four (74) with thirty-six (36) in Sunday School. This building consisted of one large room. New homemade pews were added in 1919. Sunday School classrooms were added under the leadership of S. N. Lamb. Woman's Missionary Union was organized in 1921.

In 1933 four (4) Sunday School rooms were added and electric lights installed as well as a piano being purchased. This was during the pastorate of Garland Singletary.

A building fund was begun under the leadership of Mr. Ulrich and continued to grow while R. W. Strickland served. Bible School was begun in 1946, as well as Girl's Auxiliary and Training Union. It was during the pastorate of S. W. Jolly that the present brick church, including the educational unit, was erected. The new building was occupied in 1954. In 1955 a bus was purchased. The complete debt was retired in 1957 and a fund to apply on the parsonage was begun in 1958. The parsonage was completed during the pastorate of Wiley Rutledge. Dedication services were held November 29, 1959. Also during the year Sunbeams and Young Woman's Auxiliary was organized. The parsonage was completed in June, 1961.

In 1963 J. Minor Gouge was called as pastor.

An organ was purchased and dedicated March 31, 1964. A library was formed in April, 1964. Air conditioning was added in 1965. The spring revival was conducted by all living pastors of the church. On October 17, 1965, the Bicentennial was celebrated.

During the summer of 1974, Nancy Pentacost from Meredith College served as the first youth worker. She was followed in 1975 by Lee Stocks from Mars Hill College. In 1976 the church celebrated the bicentennial of the country. Cleatus Blackmon was pastor at this time and White Marsh was recognized in The NEWS REPORTER by the Baptist State Convention of being one of the twenty-five (25) oldest churches in North Carolina. In 1977 the church pews were covered, and in 1979 a new organ was purchased. On October 28, 1979, the United States and Christian flags were donated to the church. In 1980 improvements were made to the parsonage.

In 1981 the church was debt-free with Leon Lancaster serving as pastor.

R. W. Dowless was the first member to become a pastor from this church. He attended Fruitland Bible Institute. Future plans include a new educational buidling and fellowship hall.

CHURCH LOCATIONS

Antioch	County Road 1162
Boardman	County Road 1506
Bolton	Highway 74
Brunswick	Maple Street
Calvary	McQueen Nursery Road
Cedar Grove	County Road 1410
Cerro Gordo	County Road 1406
Chadbourn	Fourth at Howard Street
Cheerful Hope	Byrdville Road
Cherry Grove	County Road 1401
China Grove	County Road 1412
Clarendon	Highway 410
Corinth	Old Highway 74
Delco	Highway 74
Evergreen	Highway 242
Fair Bluff	Highway 76
Faith	County Road 1004
Forest Lawn	Highway 701
Gapway	County Road 1346
Hallsboro	County Road 1001
Hinson's Cross Roads	Intersection County Road 1004 and 135
Iron Hill	County Road 1005
Lake Waccamaw	Highway 74
Lennon's Cross Roads	Highway 242
Macedonia	County Road 1506
Mount Zion	County Road 1700
Nakina	Intersection Highway 905 and County Road 1006
New Hope	County Road 1004
Oak Dale	Highway 410
Peace	County Road 1432
Piney Forest	Highway 76
Pleasant Hill	Intersection County Road 1335 and 142
Pleasant Plains	Highway 130
Porter Swamp	Highway 76
Riegelwood	Highway 87
Smyrna	Intersection County Road 1005 and 155
Sweet Home	Intersection County Road 1117, 1150 and 1173
Tabor City	Live Oak Street
Trinity	South Thompson Street
Union Chapel	Highway 214
Union Valley	Smyrna Road - County Road 1552
Western Prong	Intersection Highway 701 and County Road 1005
Westside	Highway 904
White Marsh	County Road 1712
Whiteville First	North Madison Street
Whiteville West	Sunset Terrace
Williamson's Cross Roads	Intersection Highway 242 and County Road 1504
Whiteville South	County Road 1428

ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY-FIRST ANNUAL SPRING SESSION

Tuesday, April 23, 1985
Chadbourn Baptist Church
3:00 PM
Bernard Lennon, Moderator

2:40	Registration	
3:00	Hymn No. 12	"Come, Thou Almighty King"
3:05	Welcome	Rev. Dennis Bazemore
3:10	Devotion	Scott Bass
3:20	Recognition of new pastors	Bernard Lennon
3:25	Special Music	Rev. Herman Goodin
3:30	Message	Dr. Thomas McKibbens
4:15	Hymn No. 141	"I Love to Tell the Story"
4:20	Nominating Committee Report	
4:25	West Virginia Report	Rev. Bazemore
4:40	Hymn No. 269	"Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine"
4:45	Special Music	Rev. William Hollifield
4:55	Message	Dr. McKibbens
6:00	Prayer of Thanksgiving	Rev. Timmy Blair
	Evening Meal	
7:00	Hymn No. 362	"Footsteps of Jesus"
7:05	Devotion	Rev. Robert Medlin
7:10	Concert	Baptist Children's Homes Choir Mrs. Mildred Morgan, Director
7:40	Resolutions and Recognitions	
7:45	Hymn No. 96	"At Calvary"
7:50	Message	Dr. McKibbens
8:30	Benediction	

SPRING PROCEEDINGS

1. The Annual Spring Associational Meeting was held Tuesday, April 23, 1985; 3:00 P, at Chadbourn Baptist Church. Bernard Lennon, Moderator, opened the meeting with prayer and was the presiding officer.

2. The congregation was led in singing the hymn, "Come, Thou Almighty King", led by Paul Hill.

3. Dennis Bazemore, host pastor, extended a warm welcome to Chadbourn Church.

4. Scott Bass gave a devotion on renewing our strength using Psalm 23:1-2 and Isaiah 40:29.

5. Roger Gilbert introduced the guest speaker, Dr. Thomas McKibbens, Associate Professor of Preaching at Southeastern Seminary.

6. Special music was rendered by Herman Goodin. He sang "The Lighthouse".

7. Dr. McKibbens brought a slide presentation on the seminary. Some of the facts he brought included there were over 400 acres of campus, a 100,000 volume library, worship three (3) days a week, over 1,200 students and the average student is 28 years old. He used Mark 12 as his text. He shared with us there are three (3) faiths they try to shatter of students. They are 1. Inherited faith, 2. Mis-directe faith, and 3. Un-focused faith.

8. The congregation was led in singing the hymn, "I Love to Tell the Story".

9. Elmore Strickland brought the Nominating Committee Report and made a motion for its adoption. This was seconded by Cameron Norris and carried.

10. Dennis Bazmore promoted the West Virginia Mission Project. The work will be in Sutton, West Virginia this year. Cameron Norris, Paul Hill and Carl Hoffner shared experiences from the previous year.

11. Mr. Hill led the congregation in singing, "Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine".

12. Special music was offered by Billy Hollifield. He sang, "Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying", and "Jesus, He Is The Son of God".

13. Dr. McKibbens brought a slide overview of "The Forgotten Heritage" and gave descriptions of what preaching is and is not. Six (6) points of preaching _is not_ include: 1. Presentation of facts, 2. Current events, 3. A moralism, 4. Selling of peace of mind, 5. Discussion of religion, 6. Promotion of church programs. Preaching _is_: 1. Proclamation, 2. Current language, 3. Ask new questions.

14. The Prayer of Thanksgiving was offered by Timmy Blair.

15. The evening session was opened with the hymn, "Footsteps of Jesus".

16. Robert Medlin brought a devotion using John 9:4.

17. Dr. Gilbert introduced the Baptist Children's Homes Choir.

18. The Children's Homes Choir from Kennedy Home in Kinston brought a beautiful concert.

19. John Stephenson brought thanks to Chadbourn Church for its hospitality during the meeting.

20. Rev. Hill led the congregation in singing "At Calvary".

21. Dr. McKibbens brought a message using several scriptures.

22. The benediction was offered by Mr. Lennon.

Respectfully submitted,

Wanda Horton, Clerk
Bernard Lennon, Moderator

ANNUAL FALL ASSOCIATIONAL MEETING
Tuesday, October 22, 1985
First Baptist Church, Delco
3:00 PM
Bernard Lennon, Moderator
Rev. Herman Goodin, Music Director

2:45	Registration	
3:00	Hymn No. 454	"Down at the Cross"
3:05	Welcome	Rev. Kenneth Reaves
3:10	Devotion	Rev. Wesley Garner
3:15	Recognition of New Ministers	
3:20	Missions Committee Report	Rev. Dennis Bazemore
3:50	Hymn No. 63	"I Stand Amazed"
3:55	Recognitions	
4:05	Executive Committee and Associational Council Reports	Rev. John B. Stephenson
4:25	Memorials	Mrs. Sandra Deaton
4:30	Miscellaneous Business and Reports	
5:00	Budget Committee Report	Rev. Maurice Gilliam
	Committee on Committees Report	C. W. Greene, Jr.
5:10	Hymn No. 334	"Blessed Assurance"
5:15	Special Music	Rev. Timmy Blair
5:25	Annual Sermon	Rev. J. P. Williams
5:55	Prayer of Thanksgiving	Rev. Kenneth Reaves
6:00	Evening Meal	
7:00	Hymn No. 354	"Near to the Heart of God"
7:05	Devotion	Rev. David Troutman
7:10	Special Music	Campbell University Chorale

7:30	Christian Education	Dr. Walter Barge Campbell University
7:55	Miscellaneous Business	
8:00	Hymn No. 376	"Have Faith in God"
8:05	Message	Charles Tanner Baptist Children's Home
8:30	Resolutions	
	Benediction	

PROGRAM PERSONALITIES

Dr. Walter Barge	Dean College of Arts and Sciences Campbell University
Rev. Timmy Blair	Pastor Bolton
Rev. Wesley Garner	Pastor Lennon's Crossroads
Rev. Herman Goodin	Pastor Cerro Gordo
Bernard Lennon	Layman Lennon's Crossroads
Dr. Robert Piper	Director Campbell University Chorale
Rev. Kenneth Reaves	Pastor Delco
Charles Tanner	Director Church and Community Relations Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina, Inc.
Rev. David Troutman	Pastor Pleasant Hill
Rev. J. P. Williams	Pastor West Whiteville and Williamson's Crossroads

FALL PROCEEDINGS

1. The One Hundred Eighty-First Annual Fall Associational Meeting was called to order at 3:00 PM at the First Baptist Church of Delco on Tuesday, October 22, 1985, with Bernard Lennon, Moderator, presiding.

2. The meeting began with the singing of the hymn, "Down At the Cross" led by Paul Hill.

3. A welcome by host pastor, Kenneth Reaves, was offered.

4. The afternoon devotion was rendered by Wesley Garner, using Romans 15:13 at his text and speaking on doubters and believers.

5. Three new pastors were recognized as coming into the association since the Spring session. They were: Kenneth Reaves, Delco; Wesley Garner, Lennon's Crossroads and David Troutman, Pleasant Hill.

6. The Missions Committee report was given by Dennis Bazemore. He announced several exciting program had taken place in the past year. The summer lake ministry at Lake Waccamaw was a success and the offerings totaled over $460. Paul Hill and Bernard Lennon shared experiences from Sutton, West Virginia, this past July. The committee is seeking a replacement of the prison chaplain. The association was honored this year by receiving a First Place Blue Ribbon in Community Services at the county fair. The winner of the Bible given away there was drawn. Her name is Dianne McAulay from Clarkton. Mr. Bazemore reported the committee is planning a booth at the Merchants/Farmers Expo in November. The World Missions Conference will be held January 18 - 24 and January 25 - 31, 1987. He made a motion for the acceptance of this report. Motion seconded and carried.

7. Paul Hill led the congregation in singing, "I Stand Amazed".

8. Roger Gilbert made the following recognitions of service over the years. Craven Sealey, 2 years as RA director; Bernard Lennon, 2 years as Vice-Moderator and 2 years as Moderator; J. Wade Fowler, 5 years as Seminary Extension director and 2 years as Prison Chaplain; Herman Goodin, 4 years as Music Director; Bobby Stanley, 7 years as Church Training Director; and Brenda Jolly, 3 years as Treasurer.

9. R. J. Hammond, new pastor at Cherry Grove, was recognized.

10. Walter Jones expressed appreciation to Wade Fowler in his chaplaincy position. Tom Ward led in a prayer for Mr. Fowler.

11. John Stephenson gave the Associational Council and Executive Committee reports. He moved the adoption of the report, which was seconded by Jim McQuere and carried.

12. Tom Ward reported for Baptist Men they are working with the prison ministry on Saturday.

13. Faye Pierce reported for WMU that 43 out of the 49 churches had at least one mission organization.

14. Brenda Jolly gave the Treasurer's Report and made a motion for its acceptance. This was seconded by Dennis Bazemore and carried.

15. Maurice Gilliam presented the Proposed Budget and explained there had been about a 2% increase. He made a motion for it to be accepted. Motion carried.

16. Dan Deaton promoted the Good News Revivals schedule for March 9 - 16, 1986. He reported 32 out of 49 churches had enrolled.

17. Mr. Deaton led a moment of silence and prayer for those who had passed away this past year.

18. Mr. Deaton brought the Credentials Committee Report. He brought a recommendatio that the Open Door Baptist Church at Nakina come under the watchcare of the association for one year. This was seconded by John Stephenson and carried.

19. Sandra Weavil reported for the Library Committee a workshop on October 11 and 12 on how to use audio-visuals. The committee hopes to catalog materials at the associational office in the coming year. She moved the adoption of this report, which was seconded and carried.

20. Sidney Britt read the recommended constitutional change that would be voted on in the evening session.

21. In the Sunday School report, Richard Poynor recognized the following persons for their participation in the ASSIST team: Ray Yarborough, Tom Carringer, Robert Medlin, Scott Bass, Judy Ward, Travis Newton, Rita Anderson, Tim Moore, Donnie Hooks, Timmy Blair, Renie Jones and Donna Poynor. David Troutman will be the new VBS director. Mr. Poynor went over the Sunday School calendar for the coming year. He made a motion for this report's adoption, which was seconded and carried.

22. Roger Gilbert reported Burrell Lucas had been in May and conducted a Time Management Seminar for pastors.

23. The Committee on Committees report was given by Bernard Lennon. Jim McQuere made a motion for the adoption of this report, which was seconded by John Stephenson and carried.

24. Bernard Lennon thanked those he had worked with over the years for their support and issued a challenge to the pastors.

25. Walter Jones spoke briefly on the new annuity program.

26. David Anderson reported for Church Training the "M" Night program produced lay speakers. This year Delos Miles will be guest speaker. Youth Night was very successful and over 250 people were present. March 1, 1986, will be this year's Youth Night and hopefully that will be a kick-off for the Good News Revivals. Doctrinal studies were also offered this year.

27. The congregation was led in singing, "Blessed Assurance" by Paul Hill.

28. Special music was provided by Timmy Blair, Patsy Parker and Carolyn Baker. They sang, "Just Any Day Now" and "I Cannot Find My Way Alone."

29. J. P. Williams brought the Annual Sermon using Matthew 28 as his text and the topic being, "The Mission of the Church - What the Church Should Be Doing". Steadman Davis led in prayer. We were told to go and make disciples, baptize them, and teach them. We are to teach them stewardship, to pray, to be mission minded, Bible doctrine, observe His commandments, to witness and to harvest. He told us 3/4 of the people that died in the last 24 hours were lost. We can designate responsibility, but not obligation. The only thing we can take with us is what we send on ahead.

30. The Time, Place and Preacher Report was given. The place for next year's meeting will be Smyrna Church on October 21, 1986 with Richard Poynor preaching.

31. The Prayer of Thanksgiving was offered by Kenneth Reaves.

32. The evening session was opened with the hymn, "Near to the Heart of God, led by Paul Hill.

33. Kimble Brock offered a prayer.

34. David Troutman brought a brief devotion on faith of works using the book of James as his text.

35. Roger Gilbert introduced the Campbell University Chorale under the direction of Dr. Robert Pipe and the speaker, Dr. Walter Barge.

36. The Chorale brought special music.

37. Dr. Barge spoke on encouragement, comfort and exhortation.

38. Sidney Britt brought a recommendation from the Constitution Committee concerning a constitutional change of deleting the Spring meeting and having two days in the Fall. This was seconded and carried, but not unanimously.

39. Roger Gilbert brought a resolution.

40. Bernard Lennon introduced Charles Tanner as the guest speaker.

41. The congregation joined in singing, "To God Be the Glory", led by Paul Hill.

42. Mr. Tanner brought a very interesting report on the Children's Homes. He presented the association with the book, "100 YEARS OF CARING". On Novmber 11, 1885, the first child was admitted to the children's homes, which was the Mills campus. On June 5, 1917, the Kennedy campus was opened. In 1957 the Odum Home at Pembroke was opened and in 1970 the Broyhill Home opened. Also in 1970 the maternity home in Asheville was opened. This facility will house nine girls and last year it served thirty-two (32). Last year 17,000 girls between the ages of 10 - 17 found themselves pregnant. A theraputic center (camp) for boys has been opened. Arthur Reid gave land for this faciility. There is

an emergency care home in Supply, (our nearest) with nine in operation. In the foster homes 1,578 children were served last year. Fifty (50) percent of these children come without any church affiliation.

43. Walter Jones promoted several up-coming events.

44. Bernard Lennon presented John Stephenson as the new Moderator and Mr. Stephenson dismissed with the benediction.

Respectfully submitted,

Wanda Horton
Clerk

NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

1985 - 1986

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Respectfully submitted,

Terry Bryant
Gene Hickman, Sr.
Harold Hughes
Elmore Strickland, Chairman

WMU NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

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Treasurer	Frances Inman (Gene) P. O. Box 157, Whiteville	Western Prong 642-4202

BAPTIST FOUNDATION

Whether we look at our objectives in life as individual Christians or collectively, as a church, an association or convention, we should be interested, above all other life's objectives, in presenting the message of Christ to those who need to know and accept Him as Lord and Savior. One of the exciting aspects of being a Christian is to feel the joy that comes in serving Him now as well as having influence on others in the future.

Some of the future influence we have as Christians is reflected in our daily commitment of service now. This can be accomplished first through our personal witness to those who will live beyond our lifespan and, secondly, through use of our resources. An increasing number of North Carolina Baptists are experiencing the excitement that comes with knowing that a portion of their resources will be set aside in trusts to further the spread of the Gospel, in perpetuity. The Baptist Foundation provides the services that make this possible.

During the past fiscal year (1984), 81 new trusts were established with the North Carolina Baptist Foundation to serve as trustee. These gifts totalled $265,029.34. Additions and contributions to new and existing trusts totalled $741,153 for the year. When maturity value of bonds in the invested portfolio are considered along with market value for real estate held in trust, the assets of the Foundation at the end of 1984 totalled $10,930,279. Real estate holdings have an estimated value of $4.478 million dollars. Income distributed to Baptist institutions and agencies, and to individuals receiving annuity payments totalled $471,563 during 1984.

Investing of Foundation assets is carried out under the direction of the Board of Directors elected by the State Convention. Day to day management is given to the investments by two fiscal agents selected by the Board. Investment philosophy now used calls for maximum return with some internal growth. Throughout the 65 year history of the Baptist Foundation, its Directors have taken seriously their fiduciary responsibilities as related to the trusts held as well as to the Convention.

Support of new church growth through trusts will receive increasing attention by the Convention in the immediate future. A variety of methods are available to North Carolina Baptists through their Baptist Foundation. Information concerning these and other services of the Foundation are available by contacting the Foundation office at P. O. Box 26508, Raleigh, North Carolina 27611.

Respectfully submitted,

Edwin S. Coates, Executive
Joseph Teague, Chairman, Board of Director

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY

The American Bible Society reached a major milestone in 1984, distributing its four billionth copy of Scripture, and the Southern Baptist Convention has had a vital role in this achievement. It is with the deepest gratitude for your faithful support that ABS submits its report to you this year.

We praise the Lord for reports coming to us from over 180 countries conerning the advances which are being made in all aspects of the Bible cause. ABS and its 99 partners in the United Bibles Societies around the world are currently involved in translating the Word of God in 562 languages. In distribution, all indications are that there were significant increases throughout the world in 1984 and dramatic increases in areas where there are extreme needs. The impact of the Bible on the lives of countless souls is inestimable and we give our heartfelt thanks to Southern Baptists who are co-workers in the worldwide vineyard with us.

Here are just a few of the many highlights of Scripture advance during 1984 in some of the countries where Southern Baptists are active in mission:

In Kenya, distribution in 1984 reached a total of over a half million Bibles, Testaments, Scripture Portions and Scripture Selections.

In Nigeria, in spite of the extreme economic difficulties besetting this nation, planning and progress is being made in Scripture translation in over 60 languages. Intenstive work continued on translating the Old Testament in Edo. When it is completed, couples with the New Testament published in 1982, it will be the first time there has been a complete Bible in this language. Distribution figures were over 322,000 for the year. There are present critical needs in Nigeria for increased supplies in Bibles in Yoruba, Igbo, Isoko and several other languages.

The goal in Indonesia is to place a Bible in every Christian home.

Presently there is a concerted effort in Brazil to provide New Reader Scriptures for that country's 23 million school-age children.

In Mexico, in 1985, during "Bible Month," special programs, concerts, worship and evangelistic services will take place throughout the land. The churches will need great numbers of Bibles and New Testaments for the millions of individuals involved.

The Los Angeles Summer Olympics and the New Orleans World's Fair were times of especially heavy distribution. We give thanks that we were able to work closely with Scriputre mission projects sponsored by the Southern Baptist Mission Boards, state conventions and regional associations and local churches. Through these integral parts of the Convention, thousands upon thousands of Bibles, New Testaments, and Scripture Portions were placed in the hands of both Christians and the unevangelized.

In 1984 Southern Baptists gave $309,610. to the Bible cause. The largest portion of these gifts came from individual local churches. Translated into practical terms, these contributions meant that God's Word could be placed in the hands of thousands of men, women and children throughout the world.

The American Bible Society gives thanks to you for your support and for your prayers, and looks forward to increased ties of fellowship. Our pledge to you is to work increasingly in partnership with you to fulfill the great commission of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

BAPTIST HOSPITAL REPORT

Baptist Hospital is committed to making available to its patients the most advanced medical technology in an atmosphere of Christian caring.

New technology brought into service during the past year includes a magnetic resonance scanner which uses a strong magnetic field, radio waves, and computer techniques to obtain images of the body's organs and tissues without using ionizing radiation. During the past year, the hospital also introduced a procedure to remove kidney stones by passing a large needle into the kidney and then breaking up the stones with ultrasound or snaring them with a tiny basket. Medical Center cardiologists have helped to develop a dual-chamber pacemaker which helps to regulate the pace of an ailing heart so that its function is more similar to that of a healthier heart. Also, cardiologists are now using streptokinase to effectively dissolve clots in the coronary arteries. In another development, many cancer patients are now benefiting from a new device which makes intravenous injections of drugs unnecessary. Our Medical Center surgeons helped develop this device called a Port-A-Cath. One other seemingly small development this year, but with important consequences, is the discovery by pediatricians that partial bathing of babies in the intensive care nursery rather than total bathing allows the body temperature to remain constant instead of dropping.

These new discoveries help assure Baptist Hospital patients of a high quality of professional care. Equally important, however, is the emotional and spiritual environment in which this care is provided. Through department staff meetings, through staff education programs, through an ongoing program of new employee orientation, the hospital seeks to preserve an atmosphere of Christian caring and concern. The specific functions of the Pastoral Care Department and the Patient Relations Department contribute to the hospital's efforts to minister "with skill and understanding."

During the past year, our hospital admitted 25,140 patients for a total of 213,038 days of care. Ambulatory patient visits including the Bowman Gray Department of Clinics totalled 243,096. The hospital has 701 licensed beds, employs 3,537 persons and has an operating budget of $124,187,316. The Department of Pastoral Care made 57,849 visits with patients, family members, and employees and provided 21,194 hours of counseling through the Winston-Salem center and the various satellites.

Last year, North Carolina Baptists gave their hospital $541,255.16 in financial support through the Cooperative Program and $367,712.33 through the North Carolina Missions Offering. The hospital staff and the patients are deeply grateful for this continuing support.

The hospital is currently involved in another expansion program which will include new parking areas, a new inpatient tower, a clinical services buidling, and additions to the power plant as well as renovation and alterations of existing space. The total cost of this project is estimated at $86,344.000.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert Shaw

RETIREMENT HOMES REPORT

For over 34 years, North Carolina Baptists have been ministering with older adults through the Baptist Retirement Homes of North Carolina. The Homes' ministry is one that works--providing security and hope in the midst of sincere concern and love--bringing about the possibility for abundant life--one with a plus. This is all happening in the name of North Carolina Baptists through the "Baptist" Retirement Homes.

Increasing needs created by the growing numbers of older adults, facility needs to be met with limited financial resources and many more issues are under serious study and consideration by your Trustees and Administrative Staff.

The following facts and information will give an overview of the Retirement Homes' ministry from August, 1984 - June, 1985:

-Over 30 new residents were admitted to the Homes and Nursing Care.
-Group Home fees for care were not raised. Cost containment and budget controls made this possible.
-Over $100,000 of benevolent care was provided monthly to Home residents.
-Sixty cents of each benevolent care dollar was provided through Cooperative Program and North Carolina Missions Offering gifts.
-The Homes' Nursing Care Unit, Winston-Salem, can now care for 85 persons. Conversion of eleven Hayes Home rooms made this increase possible.
-Apartment policies have been revised. Plans are being formulated to build another duplex unit on the Hayes Home Campus.
-A 20-minute video tape "Not An Ordinary Person" has been produced to be used in communicating the Retirement Homes' ministry.
-The Retirement Homes do have vacancies. Please request admissions information from Mr. Jackson S. Hoyle, Administrative Offices, Winston-Salem, N. C.
-The first meeting of the Retirment Home' "Heritage Club" was held. The club members have included the Homes in their estate planning. Last year, through bequests, trusts, etc., over $400,000 was given to support the Retirement Homes' ministry. Information about the Heritage Club is available from the Administrative Offices, Winston-Salem, N. C.

The Baptist Retirement Homes' mission is to continue providing the most important dimension to meeting the needs of older adults--Christian compassion. The Retirement Homes provide care beyond the required minimums. Thanks to your support, care of which we know you would be proud is provided.

Respectfully submitted,

Larry Ezzell

CHRISTIAN LIFE AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS REPORT

There are five (5) areas of concern that have called for our attention this past year and will continue to demand attention and action through 1986:

1. WORLD HUNGER - Our churches have responded well to the hunger crisis in Africa, but much more is needed. The best actions for Baptists is to send your hunger offerings to the Foreign Mission Board, designated for Africa Hunger relief, and to support the Togo partnership.

2. A STATE LOTTERY - We barely escaped this year, but the proponents are not giving up. The battle is coming and your elected representatives need desperately to know they have your support for an anti-lottery stand.

3. PORNO - Thanks to our law enforcement people and the residents of Baldwin Woods, our local "Adult" theatre has closed. Let's stay alert and keep this trash out of Columbus County.

4. ALCOHOL - The drinking age question is, as usual, in total confusion. Don't depend on the laws, the courts, or the legislature. Take a firm personal stand against youth drinking and drunk driving.

5. FAMILY LIFE - Our state convention held several conferences, seminars and retreats on family enrichment, single adults, domestic violence, divorce adjustment, marriage enrichment, senior adults, and parenting. Many events is these areas are also scheduled for 1986. Watch for promotion and materials and take advantage of those that interest you.

Respectfully submitted,

Travis E. Newton

CHRISTIAN HIGHER EDUCATION REPORT

North Carolina Baptists have grown up with their colleges so much that it is difficult to imagine our total mission program without them.

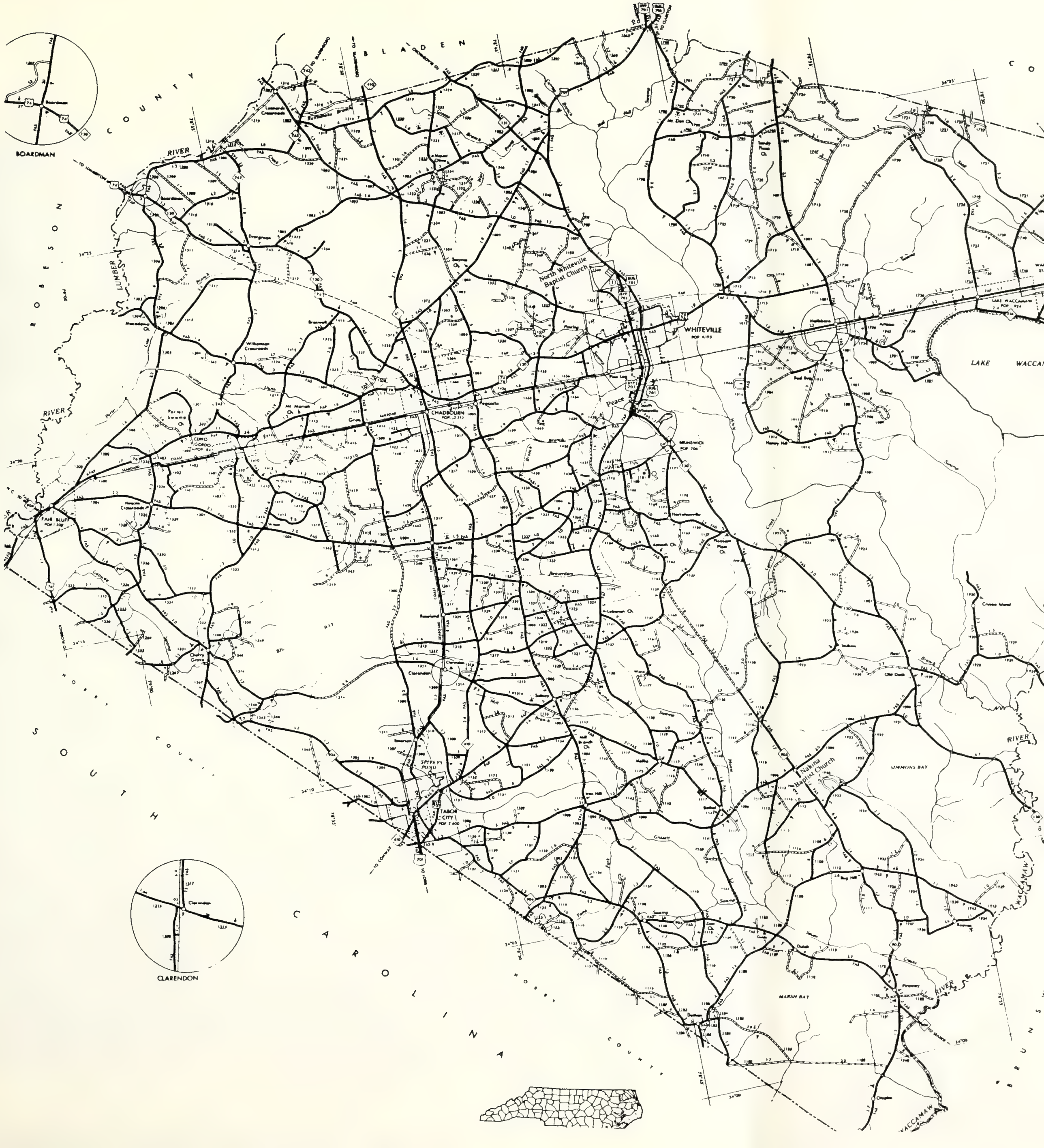
There are large and important differences that belong to Baptist colleges. They are smaller, friendlier campuses where the Christian community is present, which is very important in any young person's life.

Young people should be encouraged to apply to Baptist colleges. Generous student aid and work study programs make it possible for any qualified student to attend a Baptist college.

Your North Carolina Baptist Colleges say "Thank you" for the generous dollars support through the Cooperative Program. Baptist dollars buy quality Christian education and make healthy institutions possible.

Respectfully submitted,

J. C. FormyDuval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BIBLICAL RECORDER REPORT

This past year has been one of the very best for the people who comprise the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, and because the BIBLICAL RECORDER is a member of that family of God, it has enjoyed a good year also, perhaps the best in its history.

Readership appears to be very high. Comments, letters and other communications with the paper indicate Baptists read the paper and depend upon it for correct and vital information about the work we do together. That was the purpose of the paper when it was founded in 1833 and it remains unchanged today.

Tar Heel Baptists face a great challenge and responsibility as we struggle to meet the opportunities before us in our growing and developing state. Fewer persons are members of churches in our state now than are not members...of any kind of church. Our evangelism burden to win the lost and our ministry obligations to all people, are at the maximum now in all our history.

The RECORDER gladly and gratefully assumes its role in this Great Commission. More than ever before, the paper will seek to inform, indoctrinate, enlist, inspire and provide a forum for Baptist thought and action as we work together to achieve God's purpose for us.

Subscription rates will not be raised for the fourth consecutive year in 1986, despite a substantial increase in the cost of second-class postage anticipated in October, 1985. Maximum stewardship of the paper's resources has been utilized to provide the paper at minimum cost so that more families can have the paper in their home. The rates for 1986 are the same as 1985: Individual, $7.00; Club (four or more), $6.00; Every Family Plan, $5.00. Our rates are equal to or less than all other major state Baptist papers such as THE BIBLICAL RECORDER.

All is not well in the larger family of Baptists as our national convention continues to struggle for its direction and identity. Every Baptist needs to be well-informed with accurate facts and assessments so that he or she can come to the right position under God as a disciple of Jesus Christ. We must not let the conflict in the SBC deter us from the work and ministry we have here in our own state.

Let us pray together for the advancement of Christ's Kingdom as never before. Please pray for the paper, its ministry, staff and contribution to the Lord's work. If the paper can help you, your church or your association, please call 919-847-2127.

Respectfully submitted,

Shirley Hendrix

MEDIA LIBRARY REPORT

Since 1979, we have completed study courses in our association for our leaders to get their 'Media Service Diploma and Media Skills Diploma". This work was done under Mrs. Anna Belle Lane's faithful service.

Our association has seven or eight library workers with both of these diplomas. We teach some of the courses over again as we get new workers.

We meet four times a church year. When we have study courses or workshops we need at these meetings.

This year we will have three study courses and one workshop. Our last study course will be taught by Mr. Jack Lewis, Sunday School Board worker on October 11 and 12, 1985. He could not come in September as we planned. He will teach "How to Use Audiovisuals."

We have also worked with two churches who had libraries but had new workers.

Your Associational Media Library workers are always glad to help start new Media Libraries or help get old libraries started again. Please feel free to call Mrs. Anna Belle Lane, Technical processes consultant, 642-3371, Mrs. Sandra Weavil, Director, 648-2291 or Mrs. Johnnye Burleson, Associate Director, 642-3848.

Respectfully submitted,

Sandra Weavil, Director

CHILDREN'S HOMES' REPORT

The mission of the Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina, Inc., is to care for dependent, neglected and homeless children; emotionally disturbed children; unwed mothers and their children; and the rendering of related services to their relatives. The broad purpose of the Institution embraces services directed toward the preservation, conservation and rehabilitation of families to avoid, whenever possible, the placement of the child away from home.

During this our 100th year of quality care, the Trustees, staff and President Michael C. Blackwell, pledge anew our commitment to continue fulfilling the mission and broad purpose of this Christian institution of caring as we enter our second century of service. In our Centennial year we served 1,517 children and 1,167 families.

With the Governor's proclamation of May 19, 1985 as "Baptist Children's Homes Day", the centennial celebration was well on its way. Phil Young of Henderson, was commissioned to write "Praise Book", a musical about children and families. The musical was performed by adult and children's choirs in eleven (11) Baptist churches across the state. Dr. Alan Keith-Lucas, wrote, A Hundred Years of Caring, an updated history of the Homes, Baptists from across the State submitted their favorite recipes for a cookbook to be released this fall. In cooperation with the Convention's Communication Department a new video, "100 Years of Caring", was released in February. Both the book and the video were underwritten by the Broyhill Foundation. During May, June and July a 1,400 mile relay marathon, the longest in the history of North Carolina, allowed hundreds of people to participate and celebrate the spirit of caring for children.

One of the final events of the Centennial will take place on November 12, 1985 at the Baptist State Convention in Charlotte. The combined voices of our children in care, along with other special features, will be an exciting entrance into our second hundred years of quality child care. We hope you will join us at the Charlotte Coliseum for an evening of celebration, praise and Thanksgiving.

An update from the Pembroke Family Services Area reveals the following highlights:

The work at Odum Home has proceeded well over the past year with some landscaping goals achieved, staff training completed, and the completion of some programming goals in the area of recreation and education. The population of Odum Home has been consistent and continues to average near maximum capacity. We are looking forward to greater contact with the Associations and with pastors both in referral of families and the sharing of events and ideas.

Odum Home is now in the process of testing a computer system that will enhance the capabilities of our ministry and allow us to be more efficient and effective.

I encourage members of our association to visit our Children's Homes, especially Odum Home, which is nearby.

Respectfully submitted,

Ruby Spivey

CONSTITUTION COMMITTEE REPORT

The Constitution Committee makes the following recommendation concerning Article IX, Section 1. It now reads:

"The Association shall hold its annual meeting on Tuesday before the 4th Sunday in October, and a Spring Inspirational Meeting on Tuesday before the 4th Sunday in April. However, in the case of some unavoidable circumstances that makes a change in the date of the annual meeting necessary, either the Associational Council or the Executive Promotion Committee, preferably the Executive Promotion Committee, shall have the authority to change said date provided at least two (2) weeks in advance of the new date for the annual meeting."

The committee recommends that it read:

"The Association shall hold its annual meeting on Tuesday and Wednesday before the 4th Sunday in October. One session to be held in the evening and a second session the following morning at 9:00 AM and concluding in the afternoon with the host church furnishing lunch. However, in the case of some unavoidable circumstances that makes a change in the date of the annual meeting necessary, either the Associational Council or the Executive Promotion Committee, preferably the Executive Promotion Committee, shall have the authority to change said date provided at least two (2) weeks in advance of the new date for the annual meeting."

Respectfully submitted,

Tom Ray, Chairman
Sidney Britt
Sankey Robinson

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES
1985 - 1986

Credentials:
- Dan Williams (Riegelwood) '86
- Daniel Deaton (Tabor City) '87
- *Ray Justice (Trinity) '88

Missions:
- Margaret Hewett (Clarendon) '86
- Bill McRae (Lake Waccamaw) '86
- Carol Newton (Smyrna) '86
- J. G. White (New Hope) '86
- Shirley McCleney (Piney Forest) '87
- James Duncan (Riegelwood) '87
- Dennis Bazemore (Chadbourn) '87
- *Ruth Whitley (Whiteville First) '88
- *D. J. Peterson (Cheerful Hope) '88
- *Bernard Lennon (Lennon's Crossroads) '88
- *Ward Shaw (Piney Forest) '88

Finance:
- David Todd (Forest Lawn) '86
- Sue Shaw (Evergreen) '86
- Frank Stanley (Tabor City) '86
- Edgar Hinson (New Hope) '86
- Joyce Peterson (Cheerful Hope) '87
- W. C. Sealey (Lake Waccamaw) '87
- Mark Sink (Peace) '87
- *Robert Howard (Whiteville First) '88
- *Henry Edmonds (Chadbourn) '88
- *Ann Wallace (Cerro Gordo) '88

Ordination:
- Larry Gilliam (New Hope) '86
- Larry Knowles (Riegelwood) '87
- Roy Walker (Trinity) '87
- *James McAllister (Cerro Gordo) '88
- *Ray Lundy (Fair Bluff) '88

Library:
- Sandra Weavil (Western Prong) '86
- Johnnye Burleson (Trinity) '87
- *Anna Belle Lane (Faith) '88

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

Evangelism:
Charles Leggett (Tabor City) '86
Martin Benton (Delco) '87
Hughet Godwin (China Grove) '87
Bill Gore (Whiteville First) '87
*Daniel Deaton (Tabor City) '88

Time, Place and Preacher:
Ralph Gore (Brunswick) '86
Guy FormyDuval (Nakina) '87
*Larry Knowles (Riegelwood) '88

Resolutions:
R. E. Carter (Clarendon) '86
Nancy Marlowe (Sweet Home) '87
*Virginia Harris (Chadbourn) '88

Nominating:
Elmore Strickland (Cheerful Hope) '86
Terry Bryant (Riegelwood) '87
*Hubert McCleney (Piney Forest) '88
*Billy Rushing (White Marsh) '88

Constitution:
Tom Ray (Trinity) '86
Sankey Robinson (Whiteville First) '87
*Sidney Britt (Mount Zion) '88

Seminary Extension:
J. Wade Fowler (Tabor City) '86
Roger Gilbert (Whiteville First) '86
Polly Justice (Trinity) '87
*Ray Yarborough (New Hope) '88
*Boyd Thompson (Calvary) '88

Trustees:
Gene Ezzell (Trinity) '86
Royce Butler (Nakina) '87
*Keith Blake (Chadbourn) '88

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

Building and Grounds:
J. L. Dew (Delco) '86
Malcolm Mills (Sweet Home) '87
*Mitchell Stephens (Smyrna) '88

Program:
Elaine Blake (Chadbourn) '86
Roger Gilbert (Whiteville First) '87
*Weldon Edmonds (Piney Forest) '88
*Judy Ward (Sweet Home) '88

Memorials:
*Sandra Deaton (Tabor City) '86

Baptist Colleges:
*J. C. FormyDuval (Nakina) '86

Baptist Children's Homes:
*Ruby Spivey (Chadbourn) '86

Homes for the Aged (Retirement Homes)
*Larry Ezzell (Brunswick) '86

Christian Life Council:
*David Troutman (Pleasant Hill) '86

Baptist Hospital Representative:
*Wesley Garner (Lennon's Crossroads) '86

Deacons' Representative:
*Kenneth Reaves (Delco) '86

Annuity Board Representative:
*J. P. Williams (West Whiteville/Williamson's Crossroads) '86

Cooperative Program Representative:
*Frank Stanley (Tabor City) '86

Christian Social Ministries:
*Lewis Howard (Hinson's Crossroads) '86

Denominational Literature:
*Shirley Hendrix (Cherry Grove) '86

Youth Representative:
*Paul Hill (Lake Waccamaw) '86

Churchmanship Representative:
*Tom Carringer (Trinity) '86

Pastor/Staff Self Enrichment:
*Roger Gilbert (Whiteville First) '86

Energy Consultant:
*Larry Knowles (Riegelwood) '86

Baptist Foundation Representative:
*James McQuere (Whiteville First) '86

Respectfully submitted,

Committee on Committees

C. W. Greene, Jr., Chairman
Glenn Evans
Jimmy Ferguson
Hilda Jordan
Nina Ward

PROPOSED BUDGET
1985 - 1986

I.	OUR MISSION MINISTRY (Salary, Prison Chaplain, Literacy Merchant/Farmers' Expo, World Missions Conference, Booth/Material Columbus County Fair)	$ 4,100.00	
			$ 4,100.00
II.	OUR STAFF LEADERSHIP		
	Salary	12,900.00	
	Housing, Utilities	6,700.00	
	Travel	4,600.00	
			24,200.00
III.	OUR CHURCH DEVELOPMENT/CHRISTIAN EDUCATION		
	Sunday School	850.00	
	Church Training	550.00	
	Brotherhood	400.00	
	WMU	550.00	
	Church Music	250.00	
	Evangelism	400.00	
	Library	110.00	
	Seminary Extension	350.00	
	Visiting Speakers	400.00	
	Deacons	400.00	
	Key Leadership	360.00	
	Youth	200.00	
	Program Committee	400.00	
			5,220.00
IV.	OUR ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT MINISTRIES		
	Salary, Office Assistant	10,986.00	
	Travel, Office Assistant	150.00	
	Hospitalization, Office Assistant	519.00	
	Annuity, Office Assistant	300.00	
	Social Security for Office Assistant	850.00	
	Convention Expense	1,620.00	
	Annuity, Hospital and Life Insurance	5,654.00	
	Social Security - DOM	1,660.00	
	Office Supplies	4,250.00	
	Office Utilities	3,000.00	
	Contracts and Office Equipment	2,200.00	
	Insurance	500.00	
	Contingency Fund	600.00	
	Salary, Clerk	108.00	
	Salary, Treasurer	130.00	
	Postage	1,000.00	
	Maintenance/Building and Grounds	250.00	
			33,777.00
Total			$ 67,297.00

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION REPORT

The Associational WMU Council has thirty-four (34) members. When the leadership committee secures officers they try to select them throughout the association. This council meets quarterly to plan and evaluate the work of the council as it tries to serve the local churches.

Duirng this calendar year, the youth age-level organizations held associational activities. Mission Friends held a day camp at Calvary on April 20. Girls in Action day camp was held at Western Prong, April 27. The Acteens Banquet was held at Smyrna on March 29.

The Baptist Women and Baptist Young Women held a prayer breakfast at Whiteville First on February 8. Hope Christian from Raleigh was the guest speaker. The Literacy Council of Columbus County prepared the breakfast and received the profit to help supplement them in their work. A prayer retreat was held at North Carolina Baptist Assembly at Caswell on May 17-18. Mrs. Mildred Vaughan and Mrs. Sue Shaw were the speakers.

Two (2) mission books were taught during the year in conjunction with promoting the centennial. The Lottie Moon Story was taught by Bobbie Bass at Cedar Grove, October 25. The Annie Armstrong book was taught by Kathy S. Baker at Mount Zion, January 17. The Baptist Women manual was taught by Eva Creech and The Group and I was taught by Jackie Fleming at White Marsh during the church year.

The WMU State Meeting was held at Winston-Salem, March 15-16. Four (4) council members attended: Jackie Lennon, Frances Inman, Jackie Fleming and Faye Pierce. The Associational WMU Annual Meeting was held at Western Prong on April 15. Chaplain David Ratliff, Seamen's Ministry of Wilmington, North Carolina, was the guest speaker.

WMU took part in the Associational Key Leadership Conference at Whitevlle First on May 27 with appoximately fifty (50) attending. A fashion show was presented by the centennial committee.

Churches receiving credit on the achievement guide were: Distinguished: Chadbourn, Delco First, Riegelwood, Whiteville First and White Marsh. Standard: Brunswick, Cheerful Hope, Smyrna, Pleasant Plains and Union Valley.

Other events promoted by the WMU included the Foreign Mission Study and Lottie Moon Christmas offering, Home Mission Study and Annie Armstrong Easter Offering, state missions, the Cooperative Program, associational missions, world hunger, West Virginia, Womens' Correctional Center in Raleigh, help mission, literacy, Columbus County Sheltered Workshop Christmas party, and the Good Shepherd Home. The WMU took part in the mission booth at the county fair.

The Brotherhood and WMU mission action held a workshop on "Voters Issues" at Whiteville First on October 29. The Brotherhood took part in the WMU "Get-Ready" Conference at New Hope on September 19.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

Two (2) scholarships of $150.00 each were given this year. The recipients were Jan Poynor of New Hope and Crystal Lennon of Lennon's Crossroads.

The state workshops were attended by thirteen (13) council members.

The "Get-Ready" Conferences were held at New Hope on September 19 and Cerro Gordo on September 24 with approximately 175 attending the two (2) sessions.

The WMU national theme was "By Love Compelled". In closing I would like to give our national watchword which describes WMU and its purposes so well. "Our love should not be just words and talk; it must be true love, which shows itself in action." I John 3:18.

Respectfully submitted,

Faye S. Pierce
WMU Director

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

Accepted the resignation of Ray Lundy as chairman of evangelism. He was replaced by Daniel Deaton.

A motion was accepted not to have a full meal, but light refreshments at the stewardship meeting in the Spring of 1986.

A motion was accepted to discontinue the Spring Associational Meeting and that two days be held in the Fall.

A recommendation was accepted that the missions committee serve as personnel committee to replace Wade Fowler as chaplain at the local prison.

The credentials committee brought a motion to bring Open Door Baptist Church under the watchcare of the association.

It was approved to have special recognition of Wade Fowler at the annual meeting.

The new expanded annuity plan was adopted for the associational employees to be included.

Approval was given for the secretary to participate in the annuity program.

The World Missions Conference was scheduled for January 18 - 24 and January 25 - 31, 1987.

It was approved that scripture distribution be done the week of the Sunday School Enlargement Campaign in September.

It was announced that Craven Sealey had resigned as R.A. Director and that Steve Nobles would replace him.

Respectfully submitted,

Bernard Lennon, Moderator
Wanda Horton, Clerk

DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS REPORT

This has been a very busy year with many exciting things taking place. We have had six new pastors and three staff people join our fellowship since October 1, 1984. Each of these pastors and staff members have become identified in some measure with our associational fellowship of workers.

The Open Door Baptist Church, Route 1, Nakina, petitioned the Credentials Committee and the association for admission to our fellowship. Our Credentials Committee and a sub-committee of the Missions Committee conferred at length with this church concerning it's policies, practices, doctrine, literature and mission concerns. Being satisfied that Open Door desired to really be a cooperating Southern Baptist Conention Church, the Credentials Committee chairperson, the Rev. Daniel Deaton, recommended to the Executive Committee the Open Door be brought into our fellowship according to our associational policy of one year "watchcare" status. I am happy to report that this church has adopted the literature of Southern Baptists, participated in the Sunday School Enlargement Campaign, elected deacons and church officers in accordance to our policies. They have called a Southern Baptist Convention pastor, the Rev. Lester English, former pastor of the Pee Dee Baptist Church, Pee Dee Baptist Association. Four of their leaders have registered for the small Sunday School conference to be held at Ridgecrest, November 28 - 30, 1985.

When vacancies have occured, when pastors have moved, I've been invited to work with twelve (12) churches who have either called pastors or are seeking to call a pastor under the leadership of the Holy Spirit.

Here again I must commend the churches on their selection. I have found these committees to be most sincere and in each instance where we have met together they have shown spiritual maturity. On no occasion I have seen evidence of callousness.

Good News America has sparked a real spirit of excitement among our people. Many lay persons are making inquiries about what is taking place and when should certain events take place in their church.

During the weeks of March 9 - 23, 1986, we hope every church will make a special effort to have an eight day revival. It will be difficult after several years of three and four days revivals but the preparation needed for an eight day revival will pay great dividends.

The Sunday School Enlargement Campaign was one of the highlights of the 1984 - 1985 year. In order to succeed a year of prepartion and prayer preceeded the event. This was not a one man job. Fourteen (14) churches participated and fourteen (14) churches made varying degrees of preparation according to their needs. The key word heard from day one of the campaign and throughout the campaign was the churches were prepared. This meant church leaders made good preparation. All but one leader had led several Sunday School Enlargement campaigns prior to coming to Columbus County. However, they declared you made th best preparation.

DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS REPORT

I'm certain the pastor and Sunday School director worked, but it takes total team work to achieve the goals and find the prospects that were discovered. The bottom line has been that most people are still surprised at the large number who got involved.

Our Missions Committee has been active in the prison work, lake ministry, fair ministry, West Virginia work, new work in the asosciational are (Open Door), and now they are planning for a World Missions Conference for January, 1987. Hopefully, it will be the finest World Missions Conference ever held in Columbus County.

I want to thank the Associational Council for it's leadership. It's not always easy to give the time needed to lead in the association; however, each leader has given more time than most know about.

Let me encourage you to read their reports and then express appreciation for the work accomplished.

In closing let me say the people search completed by the fifteen (15) churches who canvassed the area where they exist has verified the truth of hte 1980 census which revealed one third of our people in Columbus County are not identified with any church. Second, our studies have also revealed less than half our members are enrolled in Bible study.

We have a challenge to reach the lost, unenlisted and to minister to our aged citizens of our county.

May God bless each church and it's leadership as they strive to make this the greatest year ever.

Respectfully submitted,

Walter Jones

CONTRIBUTIONS
OCTOBER 1, 1984 - SEPTEMBER 30, 1985

CHURCH	AMOUNT	CHURCH	AMOUNT
Antioch	275.00	Mount Zion	200.00
Boardman	100.00	Nakina	300.00
Bolton	225.00	New Hope	1,329.43
Brunswick	489.06	Oak Dale	225.00
Calvary	400.00	Peace	722.00
Cedar Grove	626.00	Piney Forest	725.00
Cerro Gordo	1,688.84	Pleasant Hill	827.57
Chadbourn	1,440.00	Pleasant Plains	300.00
Cheerful Hope	670.00	Porter Swamp	1,634.03
Cherry Grove	2,686.96	Riegelwood	3,550.02
China Grove	500.00	Smyrna	2,496.73
Clarendon	1,000.00	Sweet Home	851.43
Corinth	150.00	Tabor City	3,450.00
Delco	1,969.61	Trinity	4,909.32
Evergreen	1,000.00	Union Chapel	25.00
Fair Bluff	1,500.00	Union Valley	356.18
Faith	00.00	Western Prong	1,967.00
Forest Lawn	300.00	Westside	600.00
Gapway	00.00	White Marsh	425.00
Hallsboro	1,185.00	Whiteville First	5,673.39
Hinson's Crossroads	875.00	Whiteville South	00.00
Iron Hill	200.00	Whiteville West	88.72
Lake Waccamaw	2,338.00	Williamson's X Rds.	650.00
Lennon's Crossroads	1,547.49	Open Door	528.39
Macedonia	300.00	Total	53,300.17

FINANCIAL REPORT
OCTOBER 1, 1984 - SEPTEMBER 30, 1985

Receipts:		
Balance, October 1, 1984	$ 1,763.64	
Associational Missions	53,300.17	
Office Supplies	1,848.84	
Minutes	632.50	
Berry Fund	496.16	
Brunswick Christmas	425.00	
Building Fund	20.00	
Enlistment/Enlargement Campaign	1,000.00	
From Savings	4,000.00	
Good News Revivals	170.00	
Lake Ministry	460.82	
Library	15.00	
Materials Refund	19.92	
Prison Chaplaincy	1,485.00	
Property Option	500.00	
Pulpit Supply	50.00	
Regular Prison Work	85.65	
Sales Tax Refund	497.70	
Seminary Extension	4,462.60	
Social Security Refund	222.50	
Togo	100.00	
WMU	2.25	
West Virginia	4,907.54	
World Missions Conference	560.00	
Total Receipts		$ 77,025.29
Disbursements:		
Salary, Director of Missions	$ 12,900.00	
Salary, Office Assistant	10,424.96	
Salary, Treasurer	130.00	
Salary, Clerk	108.00	
Secretary's Insurance	520.00	
Convention Expense	1,363.98	
Social Security for DOM	650.00	
Travel	4,600.08	
Housing	6,499.92	
Insurance	5,948.69	
Social Security for Secretary	960.38	
Travel, Office Assistant	648.00	
Sunday School	166.91	
Enlistment/Enlargement Campaign	258.71	
Church Training	289.88	
Brotherhood	55.00	
WMU	423.91	

Visiting Speakers	200.00	
Library	83.60	
Seminary Extension	3,719.06	
Key Leadership	100.00	
Berry Fund	559.16	
Regular Prison Work	195.00	
Prison Chaplaincy	2,575.00	
Brunswick Christmas	425.00	
West Virginia Project	4,907.54	
Lake Ministry	200.00	
West Virginia Pastors' Air	600.00	
Togo	100.00	
Office Supplies	4,645.28	
Postage	1,253.42	
Contracts and Equipment	2,638.64	
Repairs on Building and Equipment	136.97	
Insurance on Building	371.00	
Lights and Water	920.64	
Telephone	1,644.39	
Heating Fuel	739.52	
Contingency Fund	449.77	
To Savings	1,000.00	
County Fair/Expo	37.74	
Property Option	500.00	
Good News Revivals	68.66	
Total Disbursements		$ 74,018.81
Balance, September 30, 1985		$ 3,006.48

PROPERTY OF COLUMBUS BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1	Secretary's Desk and Chair
2	IBM typewriters
1	stuffed chair
1	office desk
5	folding tables
24	metal chairs
1	large screen
1	metal storage cabinet
1	"Tell" Equipment
1	mimeograph machine
1	folder
3	filing cabinets
1	electric stencil maker
4	staple guns (2 un-usable)
2	perculators
1	tape recorder
1	carousel projector
1	tape duplicator
1	video machine
1	camera
1	binder
1	rolling table
1	fireproof vault
2	office chairs
2	tape files
2	metal book cases
1	filmstrip file
1	coat rack
1	Bell and Howell projector
1	speaker
1	overhead projector
2	slide projectors
1	vaccum cleaner
1	paper cutter
2	hole punchers
1	light
2	copiers
1	water cooler
1	office table
2	carousel trays
24	box file folders
17	book transfer files
1	color television set
1	hand truck
1	plain paper copier
1	recorder player

FINANCIAL STATEMENT
OCTOBER 1, 1984 - SEPTEMBER 30, 1985

Current Assets:			
Cash on Hand (10/1/85) Checking Account			$ 3,095.18
Savings (Money Market Investment)		$ 9,556.33	
Lake		751.47	
CEWV		800.06	
Interest Income		814.00	
Total Current Assets			11,921.86 $15,017.04
Fixed Assets:			
Office	$ 16,000.00		
Furniture and Equipment	22,515.54		
Lake Ministry Equipement	1,400.00		
Office Supplies	1,535.00		
Total Assets			41,450.54 $56,467.58
Liabilities:			
CEWV	800.06		
Lake	751.46		
Good News	170.00		
World Missions Conference	1,285.00		
Total Liabilities			3,006.52
Net Worth			53,461.06
Total Liabilities and Net Worth			$56,467.58

Respectfully submitted,

Brenda W. Jolly
Treasurer

EVANGELISM COMMITTEE REPORT

The Evangelism Committee met several times during the year to discuss and organize for the GOOD NEWS AMERICA Revival emphasis March 9 - 23, 1986.

The Evangelism Committee has been expanded to include additional workers on various committees for this special effort.

As of this date approximately thirty-two (32) churches have agreed to participate. A major media campaign, along with Bible distribution and church visitation emphasis, are expected to make this one of the most effective evangelism efforts we have ever been involved in.

Respectfully submitted,

Daniel Deaton
Chairman

MODERATOR'S REPORT

Two years as Moderator have passed quickly. I would like to thank the Director of Missions for his wisdom, experience, and patience with me. Also, the Vice-Moderator, Clerk, and the Associational Council have been a great support to me.

In the near future, the association will need a new office building. The Property Search Committee is looking for the location that is God's will. Pray. Let us accept the challenge.

Highlights of this year include speaking in one church and giving the charge to a deacon at his ordination.

Thank you for allowing me to serve our Lord through the Association. May it all be,

To His Glory,

Bernard Lennon

CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE REPORT

On the evening of May 27, the Credentials Committee met with about twelve (12) members of the Open Door Baptist Church and discussed their request to become a member of the Columbus Baptist Association. During this discussion it was pointed out that they needed to use Baptist literature, elect deacons, and call a Pastor with a Southern Baptist background. The members of the Church were very receptive to all the suggestions that were made.

On July 29, the Credentials Committee made a recommendation to the Executive Committee that the Open Door Baptist Church be accepted into the Columbus Baptist Association under the provisions of our constitution for a new church. This was approved. The Open Door Baptist Church has contibued to support our Association and demonstrates a positive desire to be a supportive member of our Association.

Respectfully submitted,

Daniel Deaton
Chairman

COOPERATIVE PROGRAM REPORT

The Cooperative Program has been called the "Life Line" of our denominational ministries, providing the basic financial support for our mission ministries, for our schools, colleges and seminaries and other convention ministries. This simple but successful plan is a positive testimony that Christian people do bigger and better things for our Lord by working together than by going separate ways. Fourth-two (42) or our forty-eight (48) churches shared God's money with the needy people of the world through the Cooperative Program in 1985, an increase of $30, 389.00 above the offering in 1984.

We commend our churches now giving through the Cooperative Program as their means of sharing in a world-wide ministry, and we recommend to our churches not using the Cooperative Program to taste and see if the Lord will not measure you out a blessing of a special kind when you share His money with a lost world through the Cooperative Program.

Since churches are managers of God's money, money that becomes His when offered in worship, how it is used becomes a serious matter. Please be encouraged to share God's offering this year through the Cooperative Program and minister to souls in need and win them from the darkness of sin.

Respectfully submitted,

Maurice H. Gilliam

CHURCH TRAINING REPORT

'M' Night was held at Trinity Baptist Church. Training sessions were held on witnessing and discipleship. Speakers included laymen Frank Stanley, Bernard Lennon and Cameron Norris. Clowning activities were included for the children.

In March a successful Youth Night was held at Chadbourn. Youth Night has continued to grow in the last couple of years with this past year's attendance totalling over 250 youth.

Also available this year was doctrine training on DOCTRINE OF CHRIST held at Calvary.

'M' Night this year we have the privilege of having Delos Miles, Professor of Evangelism from Southeastern Seminary. Mr. Miles is a well known author of several books on evangelism. Don't miss this grand opportunity.

Respectfully submitted,

David Anderson
Church Training Director

CHAPLAIN'S REPORT

This past year was very rewarding. I had the opportunity to hold 698 counseling sessions and made 72 visits to the unit. The counseling sessions were held with prisoners and the prison officials.

There were 11 times when I had opportunity to hold special worship services and there were 20 professions of faith. Baptismal services were held for those who requested to be baptized.

Eight (8) requested to be married and after consultation with the prison officials and the couples, wer performed the ceremonies.

Through your generosity I was privileged to pass our 201 pieces of material which consisted of tracts, testaments and periodicals.

Thank you for permitting me to serve these men the past two (2) years in your behalf. Many lives have been changed and it is my prayer that the ministry will continue with even more time given to this work.

Respectfully submitted,

J. Wade Fowler

SEMINARY EXTENSION REPORT

This past year there were 13 classes with a total enrollment of 155. The centers were held at Zion Plains Baptist Church, Calvary, Peace and the Brunswick prison.

We are extremely pleased that Zion Plains has completed 16 courses, which means they will have a graduation exercise very soon.

Respectfully submitted,

ANNUITY BOARD REPORT

Do our pastors and associational employees have the basic protection benefits?

Many lay people may not be aware of what the basic protection benefits include. The benefits are group life insurance, disability insurance, medical insurance and retirement annuity. All of these benefits should be standard procedure for a church or association.

One major problem that churches and pastors face today is the housing situation for retired ministers that have lived in parsonages for 30 to 50 years. The annuity board has come up with a deferred housing annuity plan. It is a fund created and maintained by the church for the purpose of accumulating a sum of money for purchase of housing for a minister at retirement. The minister has no control over this fund in the interim and thus he realized no taxable income prior to maturity of the annuity.

If your church has a parsonage I would strongly suggest and recommend for the church to look into this plan.

Respectfully submitted,

David Anderson
Annuity Representative

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

During 1984-1985 the Associational Sunday School, with the ASSIST Team, conducted three conferences: 1. Key Leadership at Whiteville First, 2. Sunday School Leadership Night at Trinity and 3. An age group workshop at Peace Baptist Church. In addition to these the Associational ASSIST Director conferred with New Hope, Peace, Oak Dale, Calvary and Brunswick Baptist churches.

The Associational VBS, under the very capable leadership of Mrs. Renie Jones, conducted three clinics: 1. Early-bird clinic on February 28 at West Whiteville, 2. Eastern Clinin on April 2 at Bolton and 3. Western Clinic on April 4 at Pleasant Plains. These clinics are designed to provide help for those who will be teaching VBS in the churches of the association. They suggest the best use of visual aids and resource kits. They also demonstrate different methods and varieties of teaching.

The Sunday School Enlargement/Improvement Campaign, conducted September 14- 22, represents a major effort and expenditure for 1984-85. This event was over two years in the planning. The presentation meeting February 19 was the second of such meetings, but was the one that finally launched the events leading up to the campaign. The following churches participated: Whiteville First, Delco, Riegelwood, Trinity, Smyrna, Oak Dale, Chadbourn, Corinth, Brunswick, Open Door, New Hope, Calvary, Pleasant Plains and Faith.

Now let's look at the 1985-1986 year.

The ASSIST Team for 1985-1986 include:
Directors - Richard R. Poynor and Tom Carringer
Adults - Ray Yarborough and Robert Medlin
Youth - Scott Bass and Judy Ward
Children - Travis Newton and Rita Anderson
Preschool - Donnie Hooks
Homebound - Donna Poynor
Outreach - Timmy Blair
VBS - David Troutman

The 1985-1986 Associational Sunday School Training calendar includes:
October 12 - REACHING age-level books
January 7 and 9 - BASIC Sunday School books
April 5 - TEACHING - Sunday School books
September 5 - 6 - Pastor and Sunday School Director retreat at Caswell
October 11 - UNDERSTANDING age group books

Plan to attend these meetings and encourage the officers and teachers of your Sunday School to attend. Together, with the blessings of our Lord and our God, we can see a great year in which our Sunday Schools are strengthened and many souls are reached for Bible study and salvation.

Respectfully submitted,

Richard Poynor

BROTHERHOOD REPORT

The men and boys of the Columbus Baptist Association had a very active year. Along with what was accomplished in West Virginia and Caswell, we had one of our men to go to Togo.

Our number was enlarged by 262 in 1984 and we feel that in 1985 we will see another increase in our Brotherhood and RA's.

Your Brotherhood Director has assited in two churches this year to get work started and we have others that are ready to get started. With this enthusiasm we know 1986 should be a great year for us.

Our RA work has not been as rewarding as would like for it to be, but we are working to make improvements. Steve Nobles will be our new RA Director and he will be more than happy to help in any way, so call on him.

Only God can change people or situations. You pray for your Brotherhood Council and for our churches that what needs to be changed for the good of the Kingdom of God will come to pass.

Respectfully submitted,

Jack Strickland

ORDINATION COUNCIL REPORT

The following individuals were examined by the Ordination Council this year: Lewis Howard, Hinson's Crossroads Church; Bobby Waddell, Friendly Chapel (South Whiteville Church) and Jim Smith, Tabor City Church.

All were recommended for ordination after a thorough examination process.

It is now our understanding they have been ordained.

Respectfully submitted,

Daniel Deaton
Chairman

MISSIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

1984-1985 has been an excellent and busy year for the Missions Committee of our association. The missions committee held regular meetings with very good attendance making plans and promoting mission work.

The lake ministry began on Memorial Day weekend, May 27, and continued each Sunday through Labor Day weekend, September 1. Attendance was good at each 9:00 AM service and the offering collected during the services totaled $460. I appreciate every person who led a Sunday morning service and all those who attended

Early in January plans were begun for the summer mission project of constructing a church building for the First Southern Baptist Church, Sutton, West Virginia. Some of our men went out to the site that month and another group of four flew out in March. Over 100 people went to work in Sutton in July to build the building, lead Backyard Bible Clubs, lead a youth week, and hold revival services. More than $13,000 was raised through our churches for this mission work.

The association is in need of a chaplain for the local prison unit. Mr. Wade Fowler resigned after a very successful and faithful service. We hope to fill this position soon.

The associational booth won a blue ribbon at the Columbus County Fair which was held October 7 - 12. A special thanks to all who worked at the booth.

Upcoming events:

Booth - Merchants/Farmers Expo - November 7 - 9
World Missions Conference - January, 1987

We must continue to be involved in missions seeking to win the lost to Jesus Christ.

Respectfully submitted,

Dennis N. Bazemore

TIME, PLACE AND PREACHER COMMITTEE REPORT

Time: Tuesday, October 21, 1986
Wednesday, October 22, 1986

Place: Smyrna Baptist Church

Preacher: Rev. Richard Poynor

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS: The First Baptist Church of Delco has been the gracious host of the Columbus Baptist Association's Annual Fall Session meeting on Tuesday, October 22, 1985;

AND WHEREAS: They have shared their beautiful facilities, provided and served a bountiful and delicious meal, and greeted us with warm Christian friendship;

BE IT RESOLVED: That the Columbus Baptist Association express our sincere thanks and deep appreciation to the pastor and congregation of the First Baptist Church of Delco for the privilege of meeting with them;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That we also express our gratitude for the magnificently beautiful flowers and fruit arrangement which served as a reminder of the abundant blessings from our Heavenly Father.

OUR BELOVED DEAD

Antioch
Mrs. Maude Stevens
Ben Suggs
Pernell Lewis
Arch Butler

Boardman
Strange Britt
Lacy Stanley (Deacon)

Bolton
Mrs. R. F. Lewis
Rex Bennett (Deacon)
Giles Cain (Deacon)

Calvary
Mrs. Esther Lockwood
Mrs. Pat Rawls

Cedar Grove
John Graves (Deacon)
Mrs. Alice Strickland

Cerro Gordo
Mrs. Ruth Sexton
Harvey Neal Elliott

Chadbourn
Troy A. Greene
Mrs. Lois W. Taylor
Mrs. Addie Smith
Mrs. Maude Friedman
W. B. Williamson
Miss Lucy Williamson
Mrs. Alberta Norris

Cherry Grove
Homer Strickland
Carlie Buffkin

China Grove
Mrs. Gertrude Robinson
Harry Nobles (Minister)

Clarendon
Mrs. Doris Elaine Leonard

Corinth
Mrs. Viola M. Britt
Charles Nobles

Delco
Mrs. Myrtie Gore

Evergreen
Clinton Nye
Marvin Shaw
William Thompson
Carson Shaw
Dan Bartley
Mrs. Essie Kissam
Mrs. Bert Shaw
Mrs. Gladys Kissam

Fair Bluff
Mrs. Nancy Hinson
Hobert Hammond
Mrs. Ida Martin
Mrs. Mildred Small
Mrs. Eva Townsend
Mrs. Mary Byrd
Tilgham Elliott
Mrs. Lutie Martin

Faith
A. D. Frink

Hallsboro
Rudolph Bullard
Walter Smith
Mrs. Earlie Pope
L. R. Ray
Mrs. Mary Dores

OUR BELOVED DEAD

Iron Hill
- Mrs. Olivia Garrell
- Curtis Rhye

Macedonia
- Troy Williamson (Deacon)
- Mrs. Clara Williamson
- Miss Emma Lou Williamson
- James Carris McCumbee
- Roscoe Buffkin

Mount Zion
- Roland Cecil Stanton
- Ernest Watts

New Hope
- Mrs. Lottie Butler Smith
- Millard Walker
- Mrs. Rosa Tedder

Oak Dale
- Mrs. Mary Sibbett
- Mrs. Pearl Judson

Piney Forest
- Miss Laura Carter
- Woodrow Britt (Deacon)

Pleasant Hill
- Willie B. Buffkin (Deacon)
- Mrs. Loucille Shuman
- Mrs. Dorcas Buffkin
- Charlie Woodell
- Ricky Coleman

Pleasant Plains
- Lillian Ratliff
- Herman Williams

Porter Swamp
- Mack Hayes
- Mrs. Rilla Ivey
- Mrs. Lollie Smith

Riegelwood
- Mrs. Marie Jackson
- George Wooten
- T. E. Dew

Smyrna
- Bruce Cain
- Burney Strickland

Sweet Home
- Charlie Beck
- Mrs. Ila V. McDowell

Tabor City
- Evertte Miller
- Collin Hucks
- Ben Nesmith, Sr.
- Ambrose Harrelson
- Andy Jernigan
- Hartford Fowler
- Mrs. Celeste Collier
- Mrs. Lulabelle Gore
- Mrs. Crettie Bruton
- Mrs. Liza Lewis
- Mrs. Olive Ward

Trinity
- Ethel Hayes
- Alma McGirt
- Norman Powell
- Billy Jay Williamson

Union Valley
- Mrs. Suzie Clewis

OUR BELOVED DEAD

Western Prong
- Waldon High
- Ruben Hooks
- Wilton Dowless

Westside
- Gleon P. Fowler
- Mrs. Edna Phipps

White Marsh
- Carlyle Baldwin
- Mrs. Kate Brown
- Mrs. Hannah Lewis

Whiteville First
- Mrs. Geneva Weaver
- Charles Price
- Mrs. Deanne Edwards
- David Wall
- Charles Ray
- Miss Flossie Mooney
- Lloyd Collier
- Leroy Nolan
- Clyde Wayne
- Mrs. Mary Nye

Whiteville West
- Mrs. Daisy Todd
- Mrs. Lou Harwood

Williamson's Crossroads
- Mrs. Blanche Martin
- Mrs. Lila Nance
- Mrs. Meda Williamson
- Floyd Williamson

ORGANISTS

Antioch - Mrs. Kaye Inman
Boardman - Diane Wiggins
Bolton - Francis Hilburn
Brunswick - Mrs. Minnie Hill
Calvary - Mrs. Reta Hinson
Cedar Grove - Dot Thompson
Cerro Gordo - Mrs. Jeanne Hamilton
Chadbourn - Mrs. Irene B. Mercer
Cheerful Hope - Mrs. Linda Ellis
Cherry Grove - Mrs. Pearl Strickland
China Grove - Mrs. Louise Ward
Clarendon - Mrs. Meta K. Mercer
Corinth - Carol Britt
Delco - Mrs. Melva Wyche
Evergreen - Helen Leggett
Fair Bluff - Mrs. Anne Powell
Faith - Ms. Wanda Horton
Forest Lawn - Mrs. Sherri Spivey
Gapway - Shelley Small
Hallsboro - Coy Long
Hinson's Crossroads - Mrs. Owen Hammond
Iron Hill - Marthaleen Inman
Lake Waccamaw - Mrs. Elaine Speight
Lennon's Crossroads - Francis Ellis
Macedonia - Miss Amy Williamson
Mount Zion - Stuart Brock
Nakina - Mrs. Carolyn Suggs
New Hope - Mrs. Pam Yarborough
Oak Dale - Mrs. Nell S. Bullard
Peace - Billy Butler
Piney Forest - Mrs. Rachel Arnette
Pleasant Hill - Mrs. Deborah Hammonds
Pleasant Plains - Mrs. Alice Harrelson
Porter Swamp - Mrs. Mildred Edwards
Riegelwood - Mrs. Daneta Justice
Smyrna - Mrs. Dorothy Long
Sweet Home - Mrs. Betty Greene
Tabor City - Mrs. Margaret Willoughby
Trinity - Miss Jo Poynor
Union Chapel - Mrs. Julia Wayne
Union Valley - Mrs. Nancy Skipper
Western Prong - Mrs. Dorothy Thompson
Westside - Mrs. Vickie Lovette
White Marsh - Mrs. Carolyn Wayne
Whiteville First - Mrs. Harriett Warlick
Whiteville South - Mrs. Sandie Ward
Whiteville West - Mrs. Peggie Britt
Williamson's Crossroads - Dale Brown

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Evergreen - Frances Shaw
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Lennon's Crossroads - Sherrill Kinlaw
New Hope - Mrs. Joanne Thompson
Piney Forest - Mrs. Shirley McCleney
Pleasant Hill - Mrs. Margaret Dunn
Pleasant Plains - Faye King
Porter Swamp - Ms. Sandy Edwards
Rieglewood - Mrs. Jane Phelps
Sweet Home - Mrs. Gladys Mills
Tabor City - Mrs. Roxanne Wright
Western Prong - Mrs. Evelyn Norton
White Marsh - Miss Kimberly Eason
Whiteville First - Mrs. Penny Sauls

LICENSED MINISTERS THIS YEAR

Union Valley
    Ronnie Suggs, Route 1, Whiteville

ORDAINED MINISTERS THIS YEAR

Hinson's Crossroads
    Lewis R. Howard, Route 1, Box 42-A, Fair Bluff

Tabor City
    Rev. Jim Smith, 104 Garrell Street, Tabor City

Whiteville South
    Rev. Bobby Waddell, 1205 Pinkney Street, Whiteville

ORDAINED MINISTERS

China Grove
Fred Barfield, Route 2, Chadbourn
Thomas Fairfax, Route 1, Cerro Gordo

Iron Hill
Walter McCumbee, Route 3, Box 26, Tabor City
Earl Lanier, Route 1, Box 250-B, Clarendon

Macedonia
Linzy Nance, Route 1, Evergreen
Jan Floyd, Route 1, Evergreen

Pleasant Plains
Woodrow Jolly, Route, Box 372, Whiteville

Tabor City
J. Wade Fowler, 303 Pireway Road, Tabor City

Trinity
Tom Carringer, Route 6, Box 329-A, Whiteville
Walter Jones, P. O. Box 157, Whiteville
Roy Walker, 513 North Madison Street, Whiteville
Stephen Wray, Route 2, Box 10, Chadbourn

Union Chapel
Vander Simmons, Route 1, Bolton

Whiteville First
R. L. McCumbee, Route 4, Whiteville
James McQuere, 118 East Wyche Street, Whiteville
Joe Sellers, Route 7, Box 49, Whiteville

STEWARDSHIP CHAIRPERSON

Cerro Gordo
James H. McAlister, P. O. Box 55, Cerro Gordo

Chadbourn
Jeanette Tedder, 106 East Holland Street, Chadbourn

Evergreen
Alfred Bowen, Highway 74, Evergreen

Fair Bluff
David Small, P. O. Box 426, Fair Bluff

Hallsboro
Joe Clemmons, Route 1, Box 185, Hallsboro

Hinson's Crossroads
Graham Ellis, Route 1, Box 43, Fair Bluff

Iron Hill
Delbert Larrimore, Route 1, Tabor City

Lake Waccamaw
William McRae, 509 Waccamaw Shores, Lake Waccamaw

Nakina
Kenneth Hawes, Route 1, Box 298, Nakina

New Hope
Linwood Edge, Route 6, Whiteville

Smyrna
C. G. Townsend, Baldwin Woods, Whiteville

Trinity
Jim Mauldin, Route 6, Box 355, Whiteville

Western Prong
Bobby Jordan, Route 2, Clarkton

Westside
Don Watts, Route 1, Box 355, Tabor City

Whiteville First
Marion Davis, 1104 North Franklin Street, Whiteville

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(Lay Persons)

Antioch
Mrs. Vera Fowler, Mrs. Linda Duncan, Mrs. Patricia Ward

Boardman
Ralph Avant, Fred Simmons

Bolton
Mrs. Agnes Cain, Mrs. Carolyn Baker, Mrs. Velma Herren, Mrs. Patsy Baker, Mrs. Sallie Baker, Mrs. Ruby Simmons

Cerro Gordo
Mrs. Julia Prince, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Williamson, Mrs. Jeanne Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hammond

Chadbourn
Mrs. Virginia Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Blake, Leo Mercer, Henry Edmund

Cheerful Hope
Mac Saunders, Mrs. Berta Lee Saunders, Mrs. Libby Strickland, D. J. Peterson

Cherry Grove
Mrs. R. J. Hammond, Mrs. Eloise Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Farley Strickland

China Grove
T. E. Nobles, Darron Blackmon

Clarendon
Elizabeth Walters, Ruby Hughes, Wanneda Dudley, Elatha Hewett

Corinth
Edna K. Bullard, Freda M. Bullard, Lizzie Jolly

Delco
Glenn Evans, Margaret Evans, Virginia Lane, Bill Chapman

Fair Bluff
Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Cashwell, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cutrell, Mrs. Annie Britt, Leon Small, Mrs. Alline Collins, Dempsey Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Bob King, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Hammond

Faith
Mrs. Anna Belle Lane, Donnie Wagner

Forest Lawn
Paul Stanley, Bonnie Stanley, Elsie Burroughs, Alma Fowler

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(Pay-Persons)

Hinson's Crossroads
Ira Campbell, Mrs. Ronnie Hinson, Mrs. Wilton Ellis

Iron Hill
James Spivey, Mary Spivey

Lake Waccamaw
Grace Marlowe, Ethel Little, W. C. Sealey, Nanie Mickey, Audell Tedder, Lois Tedder, Lettie Sharpe, Carol Hill

Lennon's Crossroads
Wyche West, Sr., Kathleen West, Hartford Lennon, Wade Cain

Macedonia
Mr. and Mrs. Perry Dillard, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Dudney, Mr. and Mrs. James McColskey, Mrs. Mildred Williamson

Mount Zion
William Blanton, Isaac McPherson

Nakina
Mrs. Reba FormyDuval, Mrs. Cleo Ward, Ralph Sasser, Roy Clark

New Hope
J. G. White, Mrs. Linda Goldston, Mrs. Naomi Hinson, Mrs. Linda McLam, Mrs. Mabel White, Mrs. Marjorie Mercer, Mrs. Jessie Shelley, Mrs. Sarah E. Hedgepeth, Mrs. Annie Mae Thompson

Oak Dale
Mrs. Carol Brock, Mrs. Donna Poynor, Kimble Brock, Charles Horne, Mrs. Peggy Long, Coy Long

Peace
Mrs. Sally Sink, Mrs. Yvonne Norris

Piney Forest
Mrs. F. R. Yates, Helen Moore, Mrs. Rachel Arnette

Pleasant Hill
Mrs. Mary Troutman, Walter Rhodes, Jack Nealey, Edna Buffkin, Margaret Dunn

Pleasant Plains
Russell McQueen, Alice Williams, Latha Williams, Glenda Medlin

Porter Swamp
David Edwards, Joe Harrelson, Geraline Connor

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Riegelwood
Evelyn Connor, Robbie Bigford, Wanda Pridgen, Cameron Norris, Ernest Moore, Eunice Moore, Terry Bryant

Smyrna
Carol Newton, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Gurkin, Fred Hyatt, Lloyd Collins

Sweet Home
Judy Ward, Willard Simmons, Jack Ansback

Trinity
Carl Hooks, Tom Carringer

Union Chapel
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Union Valley
Mrs. Jessie Lee Russ, Mrs. Nancy Skipper, Craig Fisher

Westside
Josh Soles, J. C. Phipps, Vi Fonvielle, Nancy Watts, Don Watts

White Marsh
Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Duncan, Mrs. Leon Lancaster, Mrs. Gladys Powell, Mrs. Lena Penny, Mrs. Vera Byrd, Mrs. Lucille Caffee

Whiteville First
Mrs. Roger Gilbert, Mrs. Annie Hickman, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Bass, Rev. and Mrs. James McQuere

Whiteville South
Mrs. Debbie Holcom, Mrs. Sandie Ward, Mrs. Irene Waddell

Whiteville West
Mrs. Joanne Todd, Janie and Bobby Wallace

Williamson's Crossroads
Mr. and Mrs. Morris Williamson

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEMBERS
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Antioch
Richard Ward, Route 4, Box 140-A, Whiteville
Philip Duncan, Route 4, Box 124-A, Whiteville

Boardman
Ms. Claudia Collins, Route 1, Evergreen
Montgomery Williamson, Orrum

Bolton
Melvin Brown, P. O. Box   , Bolton
Junior Simmons, P. O. Box 234, Bolton

Brunswick
Calton Thompson, Route 5, Box 16-B, Whiteville
Larry Ezzell, P. O. Box 24, Brunswick

Calvary
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J. W. Clemmons, Route 6, Box 151, Whiteville

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Larry Watson, Route 1, Box 233, Clarendon

Delco
Jack Coleman, Route 1, Box 48-A, Delco
Fred Smith, Route 1, Box 25, Delco

Evergreen
Phil and Eunice Inman, Route 1, Evergreen

Fair Bluff
Johnny Edwards, Fair Bluff
Irvin Enzor, Jr., Fair Bluff

Forest Lawn
Danny Pigott, Route 2, Box 157, Tabor City
Billy Nealey, Route 1, Box 1, Tabor City

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Riegelwood
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Smyrna
Fred Hyatt, Route 1, Box 369, Whiteville
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Sweet Home
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Crance Watson, Route 1, Clarendon

Tabor City
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Trinity
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Tom Carringer, Route 6, Box 329-A, Whiteville

Union Chapel
Morris Green, Route 1, Box 224-A, Bolton
James Bass, Route 1, Lake Waccamaw

Union Valley
Henry Fisher, Route 6, Box 376, Whiteville

Western Prong
R. N. Jordan, Route 2, Box 94, Clarkton
Mrs. Audra Smith, Route 2, Box 96, Clarkton

Westside
Robert Allen, 304 Elizabeth Street, Tabor City
Josh Soles, Route 2, Box 9, Tabor City

White Marsh
Carlton Baldwin, Route 2, Box 117, Whiteville
Miss Jackie Fleming, Route 6, Box 389, Whiteville

Whiteville First
Mrs. Annie Hickman, Washington Street, Whiteville
Rev. James McQuere, 118 East Wyche Street, Whiteville

Whiteville West
Mrs. Joanne Todd, Route 5, Box 357-A, Whiteville
Mrs. Janie Wallace, Millpond Road, Whiteville

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEMBERS
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Hallsboro
Wayne Tyler, Route 1, Box 185, Hallsboro

Hinson's Crossroads
O. C. Jenkins, Sr., Route 1, Box 188, Cerro Gordo
Cornie Shelley, Route 1, Box 54, Fair Bluff

Iron Hill
John Murray, Route 1, Clarendon
Louise Murray, Route 1, Clarendon

Lake Waccamaw
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Lennon's Crossroads
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Jerald Mayes, Route 1, Box 275, Bladenboro

Macedonia
Bobby Floyd, Route 1, Box 135, Evergreen
Doug Brown, Route 1, Box 134, Evergreen

Mount Zion
William Blanton, Route 2, Box 143-B, Whiteville
John Paul Lennon, Route 2, Box 143-A, Whiteville

New Hope
J. G. White, 118 West Wyche Street, Whiteville

Oak Dale
Charles Horne, Route 1, Box 250, Whiteville
Sam Wyatt, Route 1, Box 262-AA, Whiteville

Piney Forest
Ward Shaw, Route 2, Box 189, Chadbourn
Weldon Edmund, Route 3, Box 251, Chadbourn

Pleasant Hill
Edwin Frink, Route 2, Box 16, Chadbourn
Howard Bullock, Route 1, Box 43, Chadbourn

Pleasant Plains
Daniel Gore, Route 3, Box 373-A, Whiteville
Graham Harrelson, Route 4, Box 135, Whiteville

Porter Swamp
Lloyd Shepherd, P. O. Box 41, Fair Bluff
Luke H. Greene, Route 1, Box 90, Cerro Gordo

TABLE A CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION YEAR ENDING September 30, 1985 (Month & Day)

Association COLUMBUS

State NORTH CAROLINA

Director of Associational Missions Rev. Walter Jones

Address P. O. Box 157 City Whiteville State N. C. Zip 28472

Location codes:
1 Open Country
2 Village (under 500 pop.)
3 Town (500-2499)
4 Small City (2,500-9,999)
Medium City (10,000-49,000)
5 Downtown
6 Neighborhood
7 Suburban
Large City (50,000 or more)
8 Downtown
9 Neighborhood
0 Suburban

CHURCHES	PASTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	County	3 Year organized as a church	4 Location	5 Services held twice on Sunday? Y	5 N	13 Total Baptisms	14 Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)	15 Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)	16 Present resident members	17 Present nonresident members	18 Grand total present members	19 No. members received from non Baptist Churches	20 No. members lost to non-Baptist Churches	24 Value of pastor's home if owned by the church	25 Value of church property	26 Total church debt at end of this associational year
Antioch	Vernon Williamson, Route 3, Box 201, Chadbourn	Col.	1918	1		X	3	0	8	173	50	223	0	0	0	320,000	13,609
Boardman	David Oldham, Route 3, Box 344, Dillon, S.C. 29536	Col.	1904	1	X		7	3	2	126	40	166	0	0	0	0	0
Bolton	Timmy Blair, Box 238, Bolton	Col.	1917	2			4	3	7	97	17	114	0	0	0	0	0
Brunswick		Col.	1952	2	X		1	5	43	81	11	92	0	0	0	270,000	20,000
Calvary	George William Hollifield, Route 3, Box 69, Whiteville	Col.	1951	1	X		3	25	6	120	12	132	1	0	0	0	0
Cedar Grove	Robert McNair, Route 1, Box 130, Evergreen	Col.	1869	1		X	0	0	3	252	80	332	0	1	0	800,000	4,500
Cerro Gordo	Herman Goodin, Box 159, Cerro Gordo	Col.	1906	2	X		3	3	4	221	98	319	0	1	75,000	525,000	0
Chadbourn	Dennis Bazemore, Fourth at Howard Street, Chadbourn	Col.	1890	3	X		3	11	12	355	134	489	0	3	51,750	2,000,000	13,000
Cheerful Hope	Elmore Strickland, Route 1, Box 66X, Delco	Col.	1839	1	X		4	2	2	91	4	95	0	0	5,000	100,000	0
Cherry Grove		Col.	1810	1	X		1	3	5	350	117	467	0	1	60,000	175,000	4,000
China Grove	Hughet Godwin, Box 56, Cerro Gordo	Col.	1890	1	X		0	0	4	163	31	194	0	0	0	220,000	0
Clarendon	R. E. Carter, Box 275, Bladenboro	Col.	1906	1		X	1	1	2	120	101	221	-	-	-	-	-
Corinth		Col.	1880	1		X	0	1	2	96	12	108	0	0	30,000	80,000	0
Delco		Col.	1910	2	X		6	7	11	169	33	202	0	0	75,000	250,000	23,833
Evergreen	Grover Vaughan, Box 146, Evergreen	Col.	1879	2	X		5	0	10	199	53	252	2	0	60,000	520,000	4,000
Fair Bluff	Ray Lundy, Box 217, Fair Bluff	Col.	1883	3	X		11	6	12	342	148	490	8	0	80,000	500,000	0
Faith	David Anderson, Route 5, Box 61, Whiteville	Col.	1971	1	X		0	0	2	67	10	77	0	1	50,000	150,000	7,409
Forest Lawn		Col.	1955	1		X	2	1	6	149	46	195	0	0	0	205,000	0
Gapway	Drew Hardee, Route 5, Box 168, Loris, S. C. 29569	Col.	1874	1		X	8	0	12	210	0	210	0	12	0	0	0
Hallsboro		Col.	1876	2		X	2	1	15	260	180	440	0	3	33,000	114,000	0
Hinson's Crossroads	Lewis Howard, Route 1, Box 42-A, Fair Bluff	Col.	1894	1	X		18	3	6	216	59	275	0	2	52,500	392,500	0
Iron Hill	Earl Lanier, Route 1, Box 250-B, Clarendon	Col.	1828	1		X	0	1	7	111	64	175	0	0	0	250,000	0
Lake Waccamaw	Paul Hill, Route 1, Box 176-B, Lake Waccamaw	Col.	1871	3	X		17	9	11	228	172	400	0	5	60,000	300,000	0
Lennon's Crossroads	Wesley T. Garner, Sr., Route 1, Box 361, Evergreen	Col.	1797	1	X		2	5	2	198	48	246	0	0	70,000	690,000	0

TABLE A — CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION

YEAR ENDING September 30, 1985
(Month & Day)

Association COLUMBUS

State NORTH CAROLINA

Director of Associational Missions Rev. Walter Jones

Address P. O. Box 157 City Whiteville State N. C. Zip 28472

1 Open Country
2 Village (under 500 pop.)
3 Town (500-2499)
4 Small City (2,500-9,999)
Medium City (10,000-49,999)
5 Downtown
6 Neighborhood
7 Suburban
City (50,000 & over)
8 Downtown
9 Neighborhood
0 Suburban

CHURCHES	PASTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	County	Year organized as a church	4 Location	5 Services held twice on Sunday Y	N	13 Total Baptisms	14 Other additions (by letter statement, etc.)	15 Members lost (by letter, death statement, etc.)	16 Present resident members	17 Present nonresident members	18 Grand total present members	19 No. members received from non Baptist Churches	20 No. members lost to non Baptist Churches	24 Value of pastor's home if owned by the church	25 Value of church property	26 Total church debt at end of this associational year
Macedonia	Vernon Williamson, Route 3, Box 201, Chadbourn	Col.	1839	1	X		13	1	7	364	0	364	0	0	0	175,000	0
Mount Zion	Sidney Britt, Route 1, Box 396, Bladenboro	Col.	1837	1		X	1	1	6	140	37	177	1	0	30,000	150,000	0
Nakina	Guy FormyDuval, Route 1, Box 68, Nakina	Col.	1977	1		X	11	0	0	86	0	86	0	0	0	224,296	47,053
New Hope	Ray Yarborough, Route 5, Box 37AB, Whiteville	Col.	1874	1	X		2	1	9	233	223	456	0	1	50,000	127,000	93,470
Oak Dale	Richard Poynor, Route 1, Box 131-A, Clarendon	Col.	1883	1		X	0	4	6	112	107	219	0	2	0	100,000	0
Peace	Mark Sink Box 818, Whiteville	Col.	1978	1	X		6	8	7	120	0	120	0	0	0	100,000	6,500
Piney Forest	Carl Hoffner, Route 3, Box 249, Chadbourn	Col.	1869	1	X		3	1	2	83	34	117	0	0	60,000	250,000	0
Pleasant Hill		Col.	1848	1	X		1	2	8	160	73	233	0	0	40,000	225,000	0
Pleasant Plains	Robert Medlin, Route 4, Box 164-A, Whiteville	Col.	1839	1	X		1	3	6	178	5	183	0	0	50,000	275,000	1,000
Porter Swamp	Tim Moore, Box 98, Cerro Gordo	Col.	1828	1	X		23	7	5	189	99	288	0	0	50,000	300,000	0
Riegelwood	Larry Knowles, Box 246, Riegelwood	Col.	1952	2	X		5	11	12	295	96	391	2	2	59,000	259,000	0
Smyrna	Travis Newton, Route 1, Box 350, Whiteville	Col.	1886	1	X		0	5	10	198	54	252	0	0	50,000	400,000	0
Sweet Home	Tom Ward, Route 3, Box 73-A, Whiteville	Col.	1850	1	X		7	9	2	201	94	295	1	0	0	750,000	0
Tabor City	Daniel Deaton, 10 Nesmith Street, Tabor City	Col.	1838	4	X		10	18	20	558	316	874	3	4	120,000	2,175,900	0
Trinity	Ray Justice, 310 Vine Street, Whiteville	Col.	1953	4	X		20	19	33	786	100	886	0	0	0	700,000	0
Union Chapel	J. P. Lanier, Route 2, Tabor City	Col.	1900	1		X	0	2	0	62	47	109	0	0	0	0	0
Union Valley	Ron Settle, Route 5, Box 424-A, Whiteville	Col.	1886	4		X	4	1	3	113	114	227	0	0	65,000	200,000	0
Western Prong	John Stephenson, Route 1, Box 97, Whiteville	Col.	1801	1	X		10	9	10	308	140	448	0	0	75,000	1,017,500	32,000
Westside		Col.	1970	4	X		16	0	14	133	31	164	0	4	36,000	300,000	70,000
White Marsh	Leon Lancaster, Route 2, Box 259-A, Whiteville	Col.	1765	1		X	10	4	4	221	55	276	0	1	72,000	288,000	0
Whiteville First	Roger Gilbert, 406 North Madison Street, Whiteville	Col.	1852	7	X		7	30	25	640	240	880	3	9	75,000	1,701,000	44,000
Whiteville West	J. P. Williams, Route 6, Box 133, Whiteville	Col.	1959	4		X	0	0	2	54	122	176	0	0	0	500,000	3,250
Williamson's Crossroads	J. P. Williams, Route 6, Box 133, Whiteville	Col.	1897	1		X	2	1	5	154	56	210	0	2	0	200,000	0
Whiteville South	Elbert Waddell, 1205 Pinkney Street, Whiteville	Col.	1970	1	X		0	0	0	34	10	44	0	0	0	75,000	0
Open Door		Col.					0	6	5	24	0	24	0	5	0	86,000	0
	TOTALS						253	233	395	9,840	3,573	13,413	21	59	1,534,250	18,400,196	387,624
	PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS						212	269	360	9,801	3,526	13,328	13	38	1,570,000	584,448	508,427

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TABLE B SUNDAY SCHOOL

YEAR ENDING September 30, 1985
(Month & Day)

Association COLUMBUS
State NORTH CAROLINA
Associational Study School Director Rev. Richard Poynor
Address Route 1, Box 131-A City Clarendon State N. C. Zip 28432

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	54 Cradle Roll enrollment (Birth to 2 years)	55 Preschool enrollment (Birth through 5 years)	56 Children enrollment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	57 Youth enrollment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	58 Young Adult enrollment – Single (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)	59 Young Adult enrollment – Married (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)	60 Adult enrollment (30-59 years)	61 Senior Adult enrollment (60 and over)	62 Adults Away enrollment	63 Homebound enrollment	64 General officers enrollment	65 Enrollment of mission(s) of church	66 Total ongoing Sunday School enrollment	67 Average weekly Sunday School attendance	68 Bible Study Groups enrollment	69 Total enrollment in Bible Study	70 [illegible] Sunday Schools [illegible]	71 Church V.B.S. enrollment	72 Mission V.B.S. enrollment	73 Backyard Bible Club enrollment
Antioch	Willard White, Route 3, Box 354, Whiteville	0	10	16	15	11	11	51	27	0	0	-	0	141	81	0	141	0	60	0	0
Boardman	George Harrison, Route 1, Box 471, Evergreen	9	10	16	16	0	33	45	0	0	0	3	0	132	83	0	132	0	65	0	0
Bolton	Parks Godwin, P. O. Box 228, Bolton	0	6	6	14	8	24	28	18	0	0	4	0	108	0	0	108	0	59	0	0
Brunswick	Belton Blackmon, P. O. Box 38, Brunswick	0	0	5	15	0	0	42	10	0	2	3	0	77	37	0	77	0	0	0	0
Calvary	Boyd Thompson, Route 6, Box 37-H, Whiteville	0	17	14	15	10	16	32	18	0	6	4	0	126	60	0	126	0	86	0	0
Cedar Grove	Ray Best, Route 1, Box 117-B, Cerro Gordo	6	12	6	15	15	15	50	0	0	0	2	0	121	99	0	121	0	103	0	0
Cerro Gordo	Monte Herring, P. O. Box 12, Cerro Gordo	0	23	23	39	7	20	26	33	0	0	3	0	174	100	0	174	0	74	0	12
Chadbourn	Danny Soles, Route 6, Box 146-A, Whiteville	0	32	36	27	10	15	98	23	0	0	7	0	248	140	0	248	0	169	0	0
Cheerful Hope	Miss Marie Simmons, Route 2, Box 76-A, Ash 28420	0	0	16	10	10	17	11	16	1	0	10	0	91	65	0	91	0	50	0	0
Cherry Grove	Farley Strickland, Route 2, Box 55-B, Tabor City	0	29	28	16	20	18	51	38	0	0	10	0	210	172	0	210	0	0	0	0
China Grove	Benny Blackmon, Route 2, Box 364, Chadbourn	0	19	34	0	14	0	30	11	0	0	5	0	113	101	0	113	0	75	0	0
Clarendon	Ben Williams, Route 1, Clarendon	4	4	16	29	0	13	27	26	0	0	0	0	119	69	0	119	0	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Corinth	Tommy Bullard, Route 3, Box 73, Chadbourn	0	5	7	10	3	4	20	31	0	0	0	0	80	34	0	80	0	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Delco	Gary Smith, Route 2, Box 110-B, Riegelwood	4	19	34	24	10	28	27	25	0	6	3	0	180	68	0	180	0	88	[illegible]	[illegible]
Evergreen	Richard Shaw, Route 1, Evergreen	0	13	17	12	7	33	57	46	0	0	4	0	189	100	0	189	0	67	0	0
Fair Bluff	Winfred Richardson, P. O. Box 185, Fair Bluff	0	22	32	24	0	16	66	56	0	0	6	0	222	136	0	222	0	98	0	0
Faith	Randy Horne, Route 5, Box 62, Whiteville	2	5	10	7	4	4	15	4	3	0	2	0	56	36	0	56	0	36	0	0
Forest Lawn	Selmon Stanley, Route 1, Clarendon	0	16	14	15	4	16	22	31	0	0	4	0	122	100	0	122	0	70	0	0
Gapway	J. D. Lovette, Route 1, Box 351, Green Sea 29545	0	5	20	13	10	4	73	8	0	0	0	0	133	85	0	133	0	60	0	0
Hallsboro	Wayne Tyler, Route 1, Box 185, Hallsboro	4	11	10	9	0	27	32	10	0	19	5	0	127	65	0	127	0	74	0	0
Hinson's Crossroads	Francis Floyd, P. O. Box 263, Fair Bluff	0	12	25	19	8	19	58	40	0	0	3	0	184	107	0	184	0	75	0	0
Iron Hill	H. B. Todd, Route 1, Box 246-A, Clarendon	3	7	6	9	9	9	21	31	0	0	2	0	97	61	0	97	0	45	0	0
Lake Waccamaw	David Lanier, 516 Pine Street, Lake Waccamaw	0	9	21	38	7	24	41	35	0	0	3	31	209	106	0	209	0	55	0	0
Lennon's Crossroads	J. Z. Hinson, P. O. Box 147, Bladenboro	0	19	14	17	8	20	36	25	0	0	9	0	148	103	0	148	0	73	0	26
	TOTALS																				
	PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS																				

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Association COLUMBUS

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Study School Director Rev. Richard Poynor

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Macedonia	J. B. Williamson, Route 1, Box 126, Evergreen	8	10	10	32	7	26	12	72	0	0	19	0	196	140	0	196	0	80	0	0
Mount Zion	Ernie Blackmon, Route 2, Box 182-B, Clarkton	3	7	15	15	16	10	30	15	0	0	0	0	111	55	0	111	0	36	0	0
Nakina	J. C. FormyDuval, Route 4, Box 402-B, Whiteville	3	3	17	11	3	4	32	14	3	1	3	0	94	65	0	94	0	75	0	0
New Hope	E. L. White, Jr., Route 3, Box 61, Whiteville	4	20	31	32	10	14	61	57	0	0	6	0	235	114	0	235	0	86	0	0
Oak Dale	Worth Smith, Route 1, Box 261-B, Whiteville	4	5	5	13	1	4	35	15	0	0	2	0	84	45	0	84	0	42	0	0
Peace	Ronnie Norris, Route 3, Box 9, Whiteville	0	10	20	15	5	11	46	9	0	0	4	0	120	64	0	120	0	89	0	0
Piney Forest	Hubert McCleney, Route 3, Box 256, Chadbourn	0	7	3	14	2	6	15	23	0	0	0	0	70	43	0	70	0	0	0	0
Pleasant Hill	Alan Buffkin, Route 5, Box 23-W, Whiteville	0	12	12	13	0	7	32	19	0	0	4	0	99	55	0	99	0	79	0	0
Pleasant Plains	Russell McQueen, Route 4, Box 158, Whiteville	2	8	7	19	13	18	16	22	0	0	3	0	108	60	0	108	0	52	0	0
Porter Swamp	Bob Ford, Route 1, Box 317, Cerro Gordo	0	18	21	24	11	31	28	24	0	0	3	0	160	95	0	160	0	60	0	0
Riegelwood	Terry Bryant, P. O. Box 131, Riegelwood	0	32	29	40	15	44	60	35	0	0	4	0	259	125	0	259	0	125	0	0
Smyrna	D. J. Shelley, Route 1, Box 372, Whiteville	0	17	12	12	8	9	54	42	0	0	3	0	157	79	0	157	0	39	0	0
Sweet Home	E. W. Greene, Jr., Route 1, Box 255, Chadbourn	0	16	21	31	7	8	58	40	0	0	0	0	181	119	0	181	0	100	0	0
Tabor City	Wallace Clontz, P. O. Box 551, Tabor City	0	58	59	76	23	107	64	56	0	0	5	0	448	265	0	448	0	240	0	0
Trinity																					
Union Chapel	Billy Hobbs, Route 1, Box 777-L, Lake Waccamaw	0	2	5	8	0	0	10	4	0	0	7	0	36	28	0	36	0	12	0	0
Union Valley	Kenneth Skipper, Route 5, Box 433-A, Whiteville	0	10	4	12	2	28	22	8	0	0	4	0	90	70	18	108	0	48	0	0
Western Prong	R. N. Jordan, Route 2, Box 94, Clarkton	3	17	30	31	19	6	86	64	0	10	6	0	272	97	0	272	0	24	0	0
Westside	Don Watts, Route 1, Box 355, Tabor City	3	10	10	21	8	0	41	0	0	0	2	0	95	79	6	101	0	52	0	0
White Marsh	Burris Sellers, Route 2, Box 58, Whiteville	0	16	15	21	8	15	51	22	0	0	3	0	151	82	0	151	0	64	0	0
Whiteville First	Bill Wilson, Route 6, Box 134, Whiteville	0	0	121	61	22	53	134	109	0	0	11	0	511	244	15	526	2	89	40	0
Whiteville West	Ray Galloway, Route 6, Box 134, Whiteville	3	0	4	5	11	4	21	5	0	0	1	0	54	25	0	54	0	50	0	0
Williamson's Crossroads	Horace Fields, Route 1, Box 321, Evergreen	0	21	10	11	3	12	95	16	0	0	3	0	171	77	0	171	0	62	0	0
Whiteville South	Mrs. Debbie Holcomb, Route 6, Box 102, Whiteville	0	6	4	2	6	5	7	0	0	0	2	0	32	32	0	32	0	20	0	0
Open Door	Elwood Benton, Route 1, Nakina	0	4	4	0	5	7	19	4	0	0	1	0	44	25	0	44	0	0	0	0
	TOTALS	65	614	895	927	380	815	1,988	1,237	7	38	188	31	7,185	4,111	39	7,224	2	3,043	40	38
	PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS	69	665	975	994	429	680	2,280	1266	40	68	238	12	7706	40	544	4,077	0	3,109	17	127

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State
NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Church Training Director
Rev. David Anderson

Address
Route 5, Box 61
City Whiteville
State N. C.
Zip 28472

CHURCHES	CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTORS & ADDRESS (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	Preschool enrollment (5 years and under - not in school)	Children enrollment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Youth enrollment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Adult enrollment (18 and over)	Equipping Centers enrollment	N C M T Survival Kit enrollment	MasterLife enrollment	Other enrollment	Hold Fire enrollment	General officers enrollment	Enrollment of mission(s) of church	Total Church Training enrollment	Baptist Doctrine Study Y = Yes N = No
Antioch	Robbie Fore, Route 4, Box 157, Whiteville	0	2	10	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	31	N
Boardman	Broughton Blackwell, Route 1, Evergreen	6	8	3	20	0	0	0	0	37	0	6	80	-
Bolton		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Brunswick	Mrs. Ruby Ransom, Route 6, Box 146, Whiteville	0	4	6	16	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	28	Y
Calvary		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	0	0	0	30	N
Cedar Grove	Ms. Mable Green, Route 1, Box 28, Cerro Gordo	0	4	6	10	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	22	Y
Cerro Gordo		4	4	9	15	0	0	0	29	0	1	0	62	N
Chadbourn	Glenn Nobles, P. O. Box 474, Chadbourn	0	0	0	22	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	26	N
Cheerful Hope		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Cherry Grove	Jack Strickland, Route 1, Box 208, Cerro Gordo	5	12	20	21	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	60	Y
China Grove		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Clarendon	Larry Mercer, P. O. Box 218, Tabor City	6	10	17	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	63	N
Corinth		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		Y
Delco	Wayne Evans, Route 1, Box 120, Delco	3	4	5	12	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	[illegible]	N
Evergreen		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Fair Bluff		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	[illegible]
Faith		0	0	0	0	0	0	5	20	0	0	0	25	Y
Forest Lawn		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Gapway		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	N
Hallsboro	Mrs. Brenda Jolly, P. O. Box 1095, Whiteville	8	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	N
Hinson's Crossroads	Cornie Shelley, Route 1, Box 54, Fair Bluff	10	12	30	25	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	79	Y
Iron Hill		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Y
Lake Waccamaw		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Lennon's Crossroads	Jerald Mayes, Route 1, Box 275, Bladenboro	4	10	18	32	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	65	N
	TOTALS													

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Church Training Director Rev. David Anderson

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CHURCHES	CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTORS & ADDRESS (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	74 Preschool enrollment (5 years and under, not in school)	75 Children enrollment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	76 Youth enrollment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	77 Adult enrollment (18 and over)	78 Equipping Centers enrollment	79 N.C.M.T.-Survial Kit enrollment	80 MasterLife enrollment	81 Other enrollment	82 Hold File enrollment	83 General officers enrollment	84 Enrollment of missions of church	85 Total Church Training enrollment	86 Baptist Doctrine Study Y = Yes N = No
Macedonia		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Mount Zion		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-
Nakina	Brady Watts, Route 1, Nakina	0	9	10	23	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	45	N
New Hope	Mrs. Linda McLam, Route 3, Box 64, Whiteville	7	12	14	29	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	64	Y
Oak Dale		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Peace		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-
Piney Forest	Weldon Edmund, Route 3, Box 251, Chadbourn	0	3	1	17	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	25	N
Pleasant Hill		0	0	0	28	0	0	0	25	9	3	0	65	Y
Pleasant Plains	Gene Buffkin, Route 4, Box 161, Whiteville	0	4	9	29	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	44	Y
Porter Swamp	Tillman Knight, Route 1, Box 340, Cerro Gordo	9	21	11	37	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	81	Y
Riegelwood		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Smyrna	Travis Newton, Route 1, Box 350, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	25	0	0	50	N
Sweet Home	Willis Hyatt, Route 1, Chadbourn	2	10	23	32	0	0	0	0	32	2	0	101	N
Tabor City	Steve Ezzell, Route 5, Box 23-Y, Whiteville	20	34	51	69	0	0	0	148	0	0	0	322	N
Trinity	Carlton Stanley, Route 4, Box 163-AA, Whiteville	0	6	8	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	46	-
Union Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Union Valley		3	6	7	20	0	0	20	20	0	2	0	78	N
Western Prong	Mrs. Audra Smith, Route 2, Box 96, Clarkton	0	12	18	34	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	67	N
Westside	Ronnie Graham, 110 Jones Street, Tabor City	13	10	17	27	0	-	0	45	0	1	0	120	Y
White Marsh		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Whiteville First		0	0	0	0	16	12	0	0	0	0	0	28	-
Whiteville West		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Williamson's Crossroads		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
Whiteville South	Mrs. Debbie Holcomb, Route 5, Box 102, Whiteville	5	3	1	0	8	0	0	0	0	1	0	18	-
Open Door		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N
	TOTALS	105	211	294	599	24	22	25	342	103	39	6	1,770	
	PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS	103	229	279	523	-	89	5	264	125	50	32	1,697	

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TABLE D MUSIC MINISTRY

YEAR ENDING September 30, 1985 (Month & Day)

Association COLUMBUS

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Music Director Rev. Herman Goodin

Address P. O. Box 159 City Cerro Gordo State N. C. Zip 28430

CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	87 Preschool enrollment (4-5 years)	88 Children enrollment (6-8 years or grades 1-3)	89 Children enrollment (9-11 years or grades 4-6)	90 Youth enrollment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	91 Adult enrollment (18 and over)	92 Handbell ringers enrollment	93 Vocal ensembles enrollment	94 Instrumental ensembles enrollment	95 General music leaders enrollment	96 Enrollment of Missionis. of church	97 Total ongoing Music Ministry enrollment	98 Senior adult music enrollment
Antioch	David Barden, Route 3, Box 258-B, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	20	0	0	0	2	0	22	0
Boardman		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bolton	Timmy Blair, P. O. Box 238, Bolton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brunswick	Larry Ezzell, P. O. Box 24, Brunswick	0	0	0	4	14	0	0	0	3	0	21	0
Calvary	Billy Hollifield, Route 3, Box 69, Whiteville	4	4	5	10	25	0	2	0	3	0	53	0
Cedar Grove	Jerry Greene, Route 1, Box 130-A, Cerro Gordo	0	0	0	0	14	0	0	0	2	0	16	8
Cerro Gordo	Nicky Herring, P. O. Box 491, Cerro Gordo	0	6	3	4	30	0	0	0	3	0	46	0
Chadbourn	Miss Anita Thompson, Route 3, Box 345, Chadbourn	4	15	11	19	20	0	5	0	6	0	80	0
Cheerful Hope	Bobby R. Ellis, Route 1, Box 66-C, Delco	0	3	9	0	15	0	2	0	2	0	31	0
Cherry Grove	Mrs. Jennifer Edwards, 103 Bell Street, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	27	0	0	0	3	0	30	0
China Grove	George Walker, Route 2, Box 329, Chadbourn	3	5	3	9	18	0	0	0	4	0	42	0
Clarendon	Mrs. Margaret Hewett, P. O. Box 275, Tabor City	3	3	10	16	17	0	0	6	0	0	55	0
Corinth	Tommy Bullard, Route 3, Box 73, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	13	0	0	0	3	0	16	0
Delco	Glenn Evans, P. O. Box 112, Delco	10	10	10	0	20	0	10	0	9	0	69	0
Evergreen	Ms. Helen Leggett, P. O. Box , Evergreen	5	4	5	7	10	0	2	0	3.	0	36	0
Fair Bluff	James Degner, P. O. Box 337, Fair Bluff	0	20	9	0	12	0	1	1	4	0	47	0
Faith		0	2	2	5	9	0	0	0	2	0	20	0
Forest Lawn	Cecil Stanley, Route 2, Box 159, Tabor City	0	8	6	6	12	0	0	0	4	0	36	0
Gapway	Mrs. Marion Strickland, Route 1, Green Sea 29545	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	2	0	14	0
Hallsboro	Coy Long, P. O. Box 205, Hallsboro	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	1	0	13	0
Hinson's Crossroads	Graham Ellis, Route 1, Box 43, Fair Bluff	4	8	6	18	20	0	0	0	8	0	64	0
Iron Hill	Wilbert Ray, Route 3, Box 25, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	10	0	5	0	2	0	17	0
Lake Waccamaw		0	0	0	0	25	0	0	0	3	0	28	0
Lennon's Crossroads	Tommy Hinson, Route 1, Box 362, Evergreen	5	5	0	20	20	0	14	12	6	0	82	20
	TOTALS												

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Association COLUMBUS (Month & Day)

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Music Director Rev. Herman Goodin

Address P. O. Box 159 City Cerro Gordo State N. C. Zip 28430

CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	Preschool enrollment (4-5 years)	Children enrollment (6-8 years or grades 1-3)	Children enrollment (9-11 years or grades 4-6)	Youth enrollment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Adult enrollment (18 and over)	Handbell ringers enrollment	Vocal ensembles enrollment	Instrumental ensembles enrollment	General music leaders enrollment	Enrollment of Mission(s) of church	Total ongoing Music Ministry enrollment	Senior adult music enrollment
Macedonia	Ralph Nance, Route 1, Box 170, Evergreen	0	0	0	0	19	0	0	0	4	0	23	0
Mount Zion	Mrs. Kitty Blanton, Route 2, Box 143-A, Whiteville	0	6	0	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	22	0
Nakina	Mrs. Carolyn Suggs, Route 4, Whiteville	4	5	1	10	20	0	0	0	2	0	42	0
New Hope		0	8	5	12	22	0	0	0	7	0	54	0
Oak Dale	Coy Long, Route 1, Box 349-B, Whiteville	0	3	4	7	14	0	0	0	3	0	31	0
Peace	Jeff Peterson, Route 6, Box 191-B, Whiteville	1	2	0	10	20	0	10	2	5	0	50	0
Piney Forest	Mrs. Rachel Arnette, Route 3, Box 260, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	2	0	12	0
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Graylyn Buffkin, Route 5, Box 23-W, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	13	0	0	0	3	0	16	0
Pleasant Plains		0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	1	0	13	0
Porter Swamp	Mrs. Debbie Bullard, Route 1, Box 160, Cerro Gordo	3	5	7	5	15	0	0	0	2	0	37	0
Riegelwood	James W. Lennon, Route 2, Box 6, Riegelwood	0	4	4	15	26	0	0	0	5	0	54	0
Smyrna	Al Norris, 201 West Oliver Street, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	20	0	0	0	3	0	23	0
Sweet Home	Miss Michelle Ward, Route 3, Box 73-A, Whiteville	3	3	4	15	12	0	15	0	5	0	57	0
Tabor City	Jim Smith, 104 Garrell Street, Tabor City	32	37	32	46	64	30	6	0	14	0	261	[illegible]
Trinity	Raleigh Todd, Route 3, Box 487, Whiteville	0	6	10	0	32	0	0	0	3	0	51	0
Union Chapel		0	0	4	1	5	0	0	0	2	0	12	0
Union Valley	W. C. Butler, Route 5, Box 380, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	15	0	6	0	3	0	24	0
Western Prong	Mrs. Dorothy Thompson, Route 5, Box 412, Whiteville	0	6	2	4	20	0	2	0	3	0	37	19
Westside	Jerry Watts, 115 Brown Street, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	18	0	0	0	3	0	21	0
White Marsh	Mrs. Mildred Lancaster, Route 2, Box 259-A, Whiteville	4	4	6	16	39	0	3	0	4	0	76	18
Whiteville First	Mrs. Carol Greer, Smyrna Road, Whiteville	7	8	6	13	33	0	0	0	7	0	74	0
Whiteville West	Mrs. JoAnn Todd, Route 5, Box 357-A, Whiteville	0	5	0	0	15	0	0	0	2	0	22	0
Williamson's Crossroads	Mrs. Marie Hammond, Route 3, Chadbourn	5	4	3	10	14	0	0	0	8	0	44	0
Whiteville South	Mrs. Irene Waddell, 1205 Pinkney Street, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	3	0	13	0
Open Door	Colis Stocks, Route 3, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0
	TOTALS	97	199	167	282	859	30	83	21	171	0	1,909	72
	PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS	112	219	163	391	750	39	87	13	177	2	1,930	1,187

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TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION — YEAR ENDING September 30, 1985 (Month & Day)

Association COLUMBUS

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational WMU Director Mrs. Faye Pierce

Address 409 North Madison Street City Whiteville State N. C. Zip 28472

CHURCHES	WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	99 Number of Organizations: Mission Friends (5 years and under - not in school)	100 Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	101 Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	102 Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)	103 Baptist Women (30 and over)	104 Missionist of church	105 Total number of organizations	106 Enrollment: Mission Friends (5 years and under not in school)	107 Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	108 Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	109 Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)	110 Baptist Women (30 and over)	111 WMU officers	112 Missionist of church	113 Total ongoing WMU enrollment
Antioch	Mrs. Linda Hewett, Route 4, Box 134-F, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	7	3	0	10
Boardman	Mrs. David Oldham, Route 3, Box 344, Dillon 29536	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	3	0	15	10	0	0	36
Bolton	Mrs. Velma Herren, P. O. Box 355, Bolton	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	6	6	0	12
Brunswick		0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	6	0	11	1	0	18
Calvary	Mrs. Linda Harrelson, Route 3, Box 74-D, Whiteville	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	4	6	6	5	18	2	0	41
Cedar Grove	Mrs. Bobbie Bass, Route 1, Box 107, Cerro Gordo	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	3	8	10	7	5	2	0	35
Cerro Gordo	Mrs. Jeanne Hamilton, P. O. Box 33, Cerro Gordo	1	1	1	0	2	0	5	3	8	10	0	30	3	0	54
Chadbourn	Mrs. Wanda Long, 226 South Wilson Street, Chadbourn	1	2	1	1	5	0	10	11	18	20	14	72	8	0	143
Cheerful Hope	Mrs. Mary Woolard, Route 1, Box 67-H, Delco	1	1	1	0	0	1	4	3	6	2	0	0	5	19	35
Cherry Grove	Mrs. Shirley Hendrix, Route 2, Box 93, Tabor City	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	10	10	3	10	10	11	0	54
China Grove		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clarendon	Mrs. Shirley Carter, P. O. Box 275, Bladenboro	1	1	1	0	2	0	5	4	4	7	0	20	8	0	43
Corinth	Mrs. Elouise Bullard, Route 3, Box 107, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	6	4	0	10
Delco	Mrs. Connie Hufham, P. O. Box 128, Delco	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	2	12	8	0	10	3	0	35
Evergreen	Mrs. Sue Shaw, Route 1, Box 62, Evergreen	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	0	7	0	0	10
Fair Bluff	Ms. Anna Odham, P. O. Box 368, Fair Bluff	1	2	1	0	4	0	8	4	9	5	0	40	2	0	60
Faith	Mrs. Lena Frink, Route 1, Box 445, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	6	1	0	7
Forest Lawn	Mrs. Hazel Pigott, Route 2, Box 157, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	10	2	0	12
Gapway		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hallsboro	Mrs. Lucille Greene, P. O. Box 40, Hallsboro	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	20	2	0	22
Hinson's Crossroads	Mrs. Donnie Hammond, Route 1, Box 149, Cerro Gordo	0	1	1	0	1	1	4	0	8	4	0	6	4	0	22
Iron Hill		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lake Waccamaw	Mrs. Carol Hill, Route 1, Box 176-B, Lake Waccamaw	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	0	12	5	0	15	3	0	35
Lennon's Crossroads	Ms. Martha Frink, Route 1, Box 194, Bladenboro	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	5	10	15	0	30	7	0	67
	TOTALS															

COLUMBUS

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational WMU Director Mrs. Faye Pierce

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CHURCHES	WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	Mission Friends (5 years and under—not in school)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	Mission(s) of church	Total number of organizations	Mission Friends (5 years and under—not in school)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	WMU officers	Mission(s) of church	Total ongoing WMU enrollment
Macedonia	Mrs. Janice Brown, Route 1, Box 124, Evergreen	1	1	1	0	0	0	3	7	9	24	0	0	1	0	41
Mount Zion	Mrs. Kate Brown, Route 2, Box 162, Clarkton	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	0	9	4	0	16	5	0	34
Nakina	Mrs. Cleo Ward, P. O. Box 14, Nakina	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	8	2	10	20
New Hope	Mrs. Naomi Hinson, Route 3, Box 213, Whiteville	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	2	9	11	9	36	9	0	76
Oak Dale	Mrs. Nellie Britt, Route 1, Box 262-A, Whiteville	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	0	2	3	0	6	6	0	17
Peace	Mrs. Yvonne Norris, Route 3, Box D-20, Whiteville	2	2	1	0	14	12	31	2	2	1	0	12	2	12	31
Piney Forest	Mrs. Rachel Arnette, Route 3, Box 260, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	28	31
Pleasant Hill		0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	27	0	0	27
Pleasant Plains	Mrs. Alice Harrelson, Route 4, Box 135, Whiteville	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	0	0	2	0	24	8	0	34
Porter Swamp	Mrs. Sadie Herring, P. O. Box 155, Fair Bluff	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	4	15	6	0	10	3	0	38
Riegelwood	Mrs. Elaine Johnson, Route 1, Box 79-A, Riegelwood	2	1	1	1	1	0	6	18	10	16	26	20	5	0	95
Smyrna	Mrs. Juanita Hooks, Route 2, Box 117, Chadbourn	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	7	0	36	4	0	47
Sweet Home	Mrs. Betty Greene, Route 1, Box 255, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Tabor City	Mrs. Carolyn Jones, P. O. Box 674, Tabor City	1	2	1	1	1	0	6	20	15	14	12	87	8	0	156
Trinity	Mrs. Lorrine Jones, 100 North Franklin Street, Whiteville	3	2	1	1	1	2	10	18	20	10	10	20	11	2	91
Union Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Union Valley	Mrs. Joy Knotts, P. O. Box 312, Whiteville	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	12	0	4	2	8	3	0	29
Western Prong	Mrs. Frances Inman, Route 1, Box 148-A, Whiteville	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	2	4	2	0	44	4	0	56
Westside	Mrs. Cynthia Graham, 110 Jones Street, Tabor City	1	1	1	0	0	1	4	9	8	6	0	14	6	4	47
White Marsh	Miss Jackie Fleming, Route 6, Box 389, Whiteville	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	17	11	9	3	32	4	0	76
Whiteville First	Mrs. Mary J. Prince, Fuller Circle, Whiteville	1	1	1	1	6	0	10	5	12	18	22	88	9	0	154
Whiteville West	Mrs. Teresa Powell, 806 North Lee Street, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	3	8
Williamson's Crossroads		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Whiteville South	Mrs. Sandie Ward, Route 5, Box 101-B, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	6	1	0	7
Open Door		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	TOTALS	27	33	39	10	64	21	184	173	243	238	135	833	178	78	1,878
	PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS	27	31	28	11	58	17	168	171	275	221	148	789	172	48	1,806

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TABLE F BROTHERHOOD

YEAR ENDING (Month & Day) 1985

Association

State

Associational Brotherhood Director

Address City State Zip

CHURCHES	BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	114 Crusaders (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	115 Pioneers (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	116 RA director and committee	117 Baptist Men enrollment-Basic	118 Baptist Men enrollment Prayer	119 Baptist Men enrollment Mission Action	120 Baptist Men enrollment-Witnessing or Lay Renewal	121 Brotherhood director and other general Brotherhood Officers	122 Enrollment of missionis) of church	123 Total ongoing Brotherhood enrollment
Antioch		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Boardman	Montgomery Williamson, Orrum 28369	0	0	9	12	12	0	0	8	0	41
Bolton		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brunswick		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Calvary	Johnny Harrelson, Route 3, Box 74-D, Whiteville	4	4	1	6	0	0	0	4	0	19
Cedar Grove	Joel McLelland, Route 1, Box 347, Cerro Gordo	15	12	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	29
Cerro Gordo		12	0	2	0	5	0	0	0	0	19
Chadbourn		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cheerful Hope		5	10	1	0	-	-	-	-	-	16
Cherry Grove	Robert Faulk, Route 2, Box 84-A, Tabor City	10	7	4	12	6	6	0	16	55	116
China Grove		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clarendon	Edward Kinlaw, Route 1, Chadbourn	6	3	2	10	0	0	0	4	0	25
Corinth		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Delco	Martin Benton, Route 1, Box 98-C, Delco	0	0	0	13	0	0	0	2	0	15
Evergreen		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fair Bluff	Johnny Cutrell, P. O. Box 336, Fair Bluff	10	10	4	12	0	12	0	4	0	52
Faith	Donnie Wagner, Route 5, Box 23, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	1	0	9
Forest Lawn		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gapway	Steve Nobles, Route 1, Box 323-A, Green Sea 29545	5	8	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	15
Hallsboro		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hinson's Crossroads	O. C. Jenkins, Jr., Route 1, Box 49, Cerro Gordo	12	23	1	28	0	0	0	2	0	66
Iron Hill		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lake Waccamaw	William McRae, 509 Waccamaw Shores, Lake Waccamaw	0	11	3	16	0	0	0	2	0	32
Lennon's Crossroads	Donald Kelly, P. O. Box 205, Bladenboro	4	15	2	16	1	1	0	1	0	40
	TOTALS										
	PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS										

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Associational Brotherhood Director

Address City State Zip

CHURCHES	BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	Crusaders (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Pioneers (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	RA director and committee	Baptist Men enrollment Basic	Baptist Men enrollment Prayer	Baptist Men enrollment Mission Action	Baptist Men enrollment Witnessing or Lay Renewal	Brotherhood director and other general Brotherhood Officers	Enrollment of missions of church	Total ongoing Brotherhood enrollment
Macedonia	Carl Brown, Route 1, Box 124, Evergreen	9	11	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	21
Mount Zion		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nakina	Vernon McKeithan, P. O. Box 8, Nakina	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	2	6	12
New Hope	Robert Blackwell, Route 3, Whiteville	5	4	1	1	0	0	0	1	12	24
Oak Dale	James P. Britt, Route 1, Box 262-A, Whiteville	4	0	1	8	0	0	0	2	0	15
Peace	Waldo Nye, Route 3, Box D-12, Whiteville	3	12	3	14	14	14	5	3	0	68
Piney Forest		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pleasant Hill		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pleasant Plains		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Porter Swamp		7	10	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	19
Riegelwood	Ronnie Russ, P. O. Box 263, Riegelwood	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	4	0	19
Smyrna	Jimmy Norris, Route 5, Box 369, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sweet Home	Robert Hinson, Route 1, Clarendon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Tabor City	Mike Jones, P. O. Box 674, Tabor City	22	30	11	0	0	0	45	11	0	119
Trinity	Robert Crumpler, Route 7, Box C-49, Whiteville	20	20	1	20	16	35	1	4	16	133
Union Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Union Valley	Johnny Sellers, Route 1, Whiteville	5	5	4	9	7	0	0	1	0	31
Western Prong	Bob Wooten, Route 2, Box 112, Clarkton	5	12	9	0	0	0	0	5	0	31
Westside	Randy Graham, Route 5, Box 56, Loris 29569	7	3	2	0	0	0	0	3	20	35
White Marsh		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Whiteville First	Lionel Todd, Fairfax Heights, Whiteville	15	40	5	40	10	10	0	3	95	218
Whiteville West		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Williamson's Crossroads		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Whiteville South	Harold Ward, Route 5, Box 101-B, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	4	7
Open Door		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	TOTALS	185	250	73	227	71	86	66	87	202	1,247
	PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS	236	263	78	250	117	51	28	61	225	1,273

TABLE G TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP YEAR ENDING Sept. 30 1985 (Month & Day)

Association COLUMBUS
State NORTH CAROLINA
Associational Treasurer Arnold FormyDuval
Address Route 1, Box 115-B City Nakina State N.C. Zip 28455

CHURCHES	TREASURER & ADDRESSES (INCLUDES ZIP CODE)	21 Number of tithers	22	23	124 Undesignated gifts & offerings	125 Designated Gifts & Offerings	126 Total tithes, offerings and special gifts	127 All other receipts	128	129 Money borrowed during the year	130 Church staff salaries	131 Money paid out on new construction during the year	132 Debt retirement during	133 Church literature	134 All other local expenditures	135 Total local expenditures
Antioch	Mrs. Betty Ward, Route 4, Box 140-A, Whiteville	15	0	0	29,028	5,728	34,756	1,104	35,860	0	13,893	0	11,480	819	3,389	29,581
Boardman	Mrs. Peggy Fields, Route 1, Box 339, Evergreen	0	0	0	29,881	0	29,881	0	29,881	0	4,300	0	0	1,888	12,807	18,995
Bolton	Mrs. Elizabeth Parker, P. O. Box 1, Bolton	5	-	-	38,400	1,305	39,705	100	39,805	0	17,900	-	9,060	1,780	11,065	39,805
Brunswick	Mrs. Minnie Hill, P. O. Box 93, Brunswick	10	5	3.5	16,350	3,032	19,382	0	19,382	0	7,275	0	3,278	860	666	12,079
Calvary	Mrs. Margaret Thompson, Route 6, Box 37-H, Whiteville	25	10	1	38,412	1,347	39,759	0	39,759	0	16,900	0	7,248	1,088	5,148	30,384
Cedar Grove	Johnnie Greene, Route 1, Box 20, Cerro Gordo	6	7	3	27,193	768	27,961	0	27,961	0	12,200	0	600	1,787	5,081	19,668
Cerro Gordo	Mrs. Judy Strickland, Route 1, Box 23-A, Cerro Gordo	41	10	3	62,408	8,741	71,149	1,344	72,493	0	19,990	0	0	4,286	38,663	62,939
Chadbourn	Ms. Janice McRae, 706 E. First Ave., Chadbourn	40	9	1.6	102,752	17,958	120,710	4,044	124,754	18,000	41,596	0	4,200	4,200	66,286	116,282
Cheerful Hope	Mrs. Debbie Bracey, Route 1, Box 62-B, Delco	22	0	0	27,331	2,265	29,596	0	29,596	0	18,504	4,818	0	770	7,613	27,705
Cherry Grove	Mrs. Pearl Strickland, 103 Bell St., Tabor City	36	12	4	63,408	2,910	72,318	0	72,318	4,000	25,485	0	0	3,248	31,136	59,869
China Grove	Edward Clewis, Route 2, Box 412, Chadbourn	-	-	-	17,191	2,862	20,053	0	20,053	0	10,673	0	0	1,386	5,814	17,873
Clarendon	Eugene Richardson, Route 1, Box 30, Clarendon	29	3	3	40,611	3,001	43,612	2,404	46,016	0	19,175	10,000	0	1,251	[illegible]	[illegible]
Corinth	Miss Geraldine Rabon, Route 3, Box 59, Chadbourn	3	0	0	18,386	403	18,789	0	18,789	0	9,794	0	0	877	[illegible]	[illegible]
Delco	Ms. Virginia Lane, Route 2, Box 108, Riegelwood	12	13	4	49,266	7,936	57,202	222	57,424	0	11,060	17,198	4,602	2,406	16,750	52,018
Evergreen	Ms. Eunice Inman, Route 1, Evergreen	-	10	3	42,000	19,242	61,242	0	61,242	9,000	14,931	21,188	5,000	1,990	18,133	61,242
Fair Bluff	Schley Waddell, Route 1, Box 23, Fair Bluff	10	10	3	78,175	29,868	108,043	0	108,043	7,000	20,978	0	13,568	5,456	20,116	60,118
Faith	Mrs. Janet Hinson, Route 2, Box 389, Chadbourn	12	3	3	20,068	1,051	21,119	0	21,119	0	8,905	0	1,560	518	[illegible]	[illegible]
Forest Lawn	Roger Wright, Route 1, Box 27, Clarendon	15	4	2	32,252	0	32,252	0	32,252	0	4,200	0	0	958	17,897	23,055
Gapway	Jimmy Fowler, Route 1, Box 53-D, Tabor City	3	0	0	12,862	0	12,862	0	12,862	0	5,480	0	0	1,322	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hallsboro	Mrs. Ann Jones, Route 1, Box 301-A, Hallsboro	15	62	31	29,461	2,461	31,922	0	31,922	0	11,235	0	0	1,609	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hinson's Crossroads	James Jenkins, P. O. Box 324, Fair Bluff	25	48	2	46,986	2,146	49,132	0	49,132	0	21,950	1,750	0	3,145	4,076	30,921
Iron Hill	Ford Inman, Route 3, Box 38, Tabor City	15	4	0	27,032	2,655	29,687		29,687	0	12,800	1,500	0	1,042	11,259	26,601
Lake Waccamaw	Mrs. Ann Edens, Route 1, Box 226-A, Lake Waccamaw	0	13	7	58,068	12,513	70,581	1,055	71,636	0	26,560	0	0	2,848	50,015	79,423
Lennon's Crossroads	Mrs. Dianna Callihan, Route 1, Box 494, Bladenboro	75	25	3	61,267	20,056	81,323	1,757	83,080	0	13,527	0	0	3,662	24,874	42,063
	TOTALS															
	PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS															

(Month & Day)

State

Associational Treasurer Arnold FormyDuval
Address Route 1, Box 115-B City Nakina State N. C. Zip 28455

CHURCHES	TREASURER & ADDRESSES (INCLUDES ZIP CODE)	Number of tithers	Cooperative Program goal as per cent of undesignated receipts	Associational missions goal as per cent of undesignated receipts	Undesignated gifts offerings etc	Designated Gifts Offerings etc	Total tithes all offerings and special gifts	All other receipts	Total Receipts	Money borrowed during the year	Church staff salaries	Money paid out on new construction during the year	Debt retirement during	Church literature	All other local expenditures	Total local expenditures
Macedonia	Mrs. Linda Brown, Route 1, Box 134, Evergreen	40	.5	5	48,555	0	48,555	1,828	50,383	0	18,500	6,570	0	1,599	2,815	29,484
Mount Zion	Mrs. Betty Sue Baldwin, Route 2, Box 113, Whiteville	25	-	-	19,871	3,566	23,437	2,243	25,680	0	12,434	0	0	1,690	10,924	25,048
Nakina	Mrs. Ralph Sasser, Route 1, Box 95, Nakina	3	3	0	27,088	7,789	34,877	0	34,877	0	3,225	0	32,763	1,440	16,722	54,150
New Hope	Mrs. Linda Goldston, P. O. Box 218, Whiteville	75	20	5	60,458	20,226	80,684	0	80,684	0	27,972	0	33,027	4,805	14,880	80,684
Oak Dale	Kimble Brock, Route 1, Box 198, Whiteville	12	54	125	18,676	6,477	25,153	274	25,427	0	5,864	0	0	1,280	20,058	27,202
Peace	G. F. Hines, Route 5, Box 13, Whiteville	17	4	3	27,246	2,474	29,720	0	29,720	8,000	11,845	21,321	1,500	2,248	3,361	40,275
Piney Forest	Ward Shaw, Route 2, Box 189, Chadbourn	14	7	1.5	39,564	4,785	44,349	2,137	46,486	0	18,174	0	0	1,694	13,451	33,319
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Gussie Woodell, 416 Clay St., Whiteville	15	12	4	24,489	4,230	28,719	466	29,185	0	8,000	0	0	1,656	11,371	21,027
Pleasant Plains	Wayne King, Route 4, Box 377-D, Whiteville	8	10	-	25,000	15,862	40,862	0	40,862	0	18,669	0	4,047	2,775	18,898	44,389
Porter Swamp	Mrs. Jane Ford, Route 1, Box 137, Cerro Gordo	21	75	35	39,537	996	40,533	0	40,533	0	14,299	100	0	3,171	16,608	34,178
Riegelwood	Mrs. Wanda Pridgen, P. O. Box 104, Riegelwood	30	133	41	76,904	15,202	92,106	687	92,793	0	30,082	0.	0	6,139	10,871	47,092
Smyrna	Earl Goins, 515 W. Nance St., Whiteville	30	17	6	48,867	10,207	59,074	0	59,074	0	16,131	0	7,365	2,316	11,534	37,346
Sweet Home	Keith Fowler, Route 1, Clarendon	10	7	3	39,357	5,743	45,100	1,172	46,272	0	22,206	0	0	1,295	7,597	31,098
Tabor City	C. C. Willoughby, Route 2, Box 105, Tabor City		13	2	216,991	53,205	270,196	0	270,196	0	88,596	98,340	0	13,880	78,058	278,874
Trinity	V. C. Duncan, Route 1, Box 368, Whiteville	190	13	3	175,046	95,581	270,627	2,313	272,940	0	87,543	0	0	8,517	21,481	117,541
Union Chapel	Billy Hobbs, Route 1, Box 777-L, Lake Waccamaw	14	5	5	5,198	0	5,198	0	5,198	0	3,300	837	0	234	1,149	5,520
Union Valley	Mrs. Sue Skipper, Route 4, Box 433-A, Whiteville	25	1	1	32,000	3,500	35,500	6,500	42,000	0	19,400	0	0	1,600	13,900	34,900
Western Prong	Grady Jordan, Route 2, Box 97, Clarkton	75	12	3	84,381	11,088	95,469	500	95,969	32,000	36,950	0	6,500	4,650	23,350	71,450
Westside	Mrs. Mary Watts, Route 1, Box 355, Tabor City	23	10	10	39,395	16,065	55,460	0	55,460	75,000	10,365	20,347	13,440	2,954	10,545	57,651
White Marsh	J. C. Batten, Route 2, Box 306, Whiteville	12	8	2	32,656	5,846	38,502	0	38,502	0	13,600	0	0	1,572	14,844	30,016
Whiteville First	Allen Price, P. O. Box 398, Whiteville	-	25	2.5	227,249	83,418	310,667	0	310,667	0	82,157	0	10,125	12,216	67,771	172,269
Whiteville West	Mrs. Teresa Powell, 806 N. Lee St., Whiteville	12	8	2	15,600	4,200	19,800	0	19,800	3,250	11,400	0	0	885	5,000	17,285
Williamson's Crossroads	H. G. Williamson, P. O. Box 7, Cerro Gordo	6	7	2	30,612	3,854	34,466	0	34,466	0	16,015	0	0	1,000	17,000	34,015
Whiteville South	Mrs. Irene Waddell, 1205 Pinkney St., Whiteville	9	0	0	12,000	0	12,000	0	12,000	0	7,800	0	0	300	0	8,100
Open Door	Gary Faulk, Route 1, Box 184, Nakina	6	0	0	11,380	0	11,380	0	11,380	0	0	0	0	400	900	1,300
	TOTALS	1086			2,352,908	522,562	2,875,470	30,150	2,905,620	156,250	953,838	203,969	169,363	129,514	797,144	2,253,828
	PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS				2,186,769	574,674	2,798,857	32,654	2,806,835	313,500	894,624	871,211	230,638	128,462	729,005	2,863,344

TABLE H MISSION EXPENDITURES

YEAR ENDING September 30, 198
(Month & Day)

Association
COLUMBUS

State
NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Clerk
Ms. Wanda Horton

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CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDES ZIP CODE)	136 CHURCH SPONSORED MISSIONS: Money paid out on new construction during the year	137 All other church sponsored mission expenditures	138 Total church sponsored mission expenditures	139 Cooperative Program	140 OTHER MISSION CAUSE EXPENDITURES: Associational missions program	141 State missions	142 SB Home Missions (incl. Annie Armstrong Easter offering)	143 SB Foreign Missions (incl. Lottie Moon Christmas offering)	144 SB Christian education (schools, etc.)	145 SB Children's Homes (cash plus goods)	146 SB Hospital	147 SB Homes for the aged	148 All other: Bible Society, Temperance League, etc.	149 Total other mission cause expenditures	150 Grand Total Mission expenditures
Antioch	Mrs. Vera Fowler, Route 1, Box 103-P, Clarendon	0	0	0	0	275	402	473	546	0	0	0	0	351	2,047	2,047
Boardman	Norman Sanderson, Route 1, Evergreen	0	0	0	0	100	0	2,116	893	0	0	0	0	0	3,109	3,109
Bolton	Mrs. Velma Herren, P. O. Box 355, Bolton	507	0	507	800	225	405	307	370	0	0	0	0	0	1,307	2,614
Brunswick	Larry Ezzell, P. O. Box 24, Brunswick	0	0	0	790	549	340	200	405	0	0	0	0	270	1,764	2,554
Calvary	Mrs. Sarah Pope, Route 5, Box 106-A, Whiteville	0	0	0	1,200	400	117	611	620	0	0	0	0	0	1,748	2,948
Cedar Grove	Mitchell Bowen, Route 1, Box 22, Cerro Gordo	0	0	0	1,460	626	340	50	428	0	0	0	0	0	1,444	2,904
Cerro Gordo	J. P. Hammond, P. O. Box 117, Cerro Gordo	0	0	0	6,270	1,866	154	491	735	0	0	0	0	0	3,246	9,516
Chadbourn	Miss Elaine Carr, P. O. Box 324, Chadbourn	0	300	300	8,550	1,455	972	1,264	2,060	0	0	0	0	3,675	9,426	18,276
Cheerful Hope	Mrs. Linda G. Hewett, Route 1, Box 62-E, Delco	4,818	0	4,818	2,697	660	90	663	832	0	0	0	0	0	2,245	9,760
Cherry Grove	Rudolph Lancaster, Route 1, Box 345, Green Sea 29545	0	0	0	8,090	2,676	500	1,156	1,754	0	0	0	0	470	6,556	14,646
China Grove	Mrs. Ila Clewis, Route 2, Box 412, Chadbourn	0	0	0	500	500	0	123	176	0	0	0	0	350	1,149	1,649
Clarendon	Eugene Richardson, Route 1, Box 30, Clarendon	0	0	0	1,200	1,000	500	2,086	3,000	0	0	0	0	1,958	8,544	9,744
Corinth	Ms. Edna K Bullard, Route 3, Box 73, Chadbourn	0	0	0	100	150	11	100	127	0	0	0	0	109	497	597
Delco	Mrs. Margaret Evans, Route 1, Box 120, Delco	0	0	0	4,904	1,992	932	872	1,148	0	0	0	0	2,416	7,360	12,264
Evergreen	Mrs. Reba Bartley, Route 1, Box 77, Evergreen	0	39,788	39,788	3,102	1,000	640	1,102	2,634	0	0	0	0	0	5,376	48,266
Fair Bluff	Harold Foley, P. O. Box 406, Fair Bluff	0	0	0	6,090	1,500	2,244	1,981	1,965	0	0	0	0	660	8,350	14,440
Faith	Mrs. L. H. Shuman, Route 5, Box 65, Whiteville	0	0	0	70	243	0	115	197	0	0	0	0	0	555	625
Forest Lawn	Mitchell Wright, Route 1, Box 18, Tabor City	0	0	0	375	375	150	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	525	900
Gapway	Jimmy Fowler, Route 2, Box 53-D, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	50	0	0	50	50
Hallsboro	R. B. Wyche, P. O. Box 183, Hallsboro	0	1,200	1,200	2,450	1,200	210	551	1,201	0	0	0	0	0	3,162	6,812
Hinson's Crossroads	Mrs. L. V. Reel, P. O. Box 5, Fair Bluff	0	0	0	1,800	750	600	605	916	0	0	0	0	0	2,871	4,671
Iron Hill	James E. Spivey, Route 3, Box 27, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	200	400	0	455	-	-	-	-	-	1,055	1,055
Lake Waccamaw	Mrs. Lettie Sharpe, P. O. Box 233, Whiteville	0	0	0	4,676	2,338	144	708	1,000	0	0	2	0	1,830	6,022	10,098
Lennon's Crossroads	Hiram Callihan, Route 1, Box 494, Bladenboro	0	0	0	12,983	1,547	2,853	3,669	5,056	0	0	0	0	1,329	14,454	27,437
	TOTALS															
	PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS															

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State NORTH CAROLINA

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CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDES ZIP CODE)	Money paid out on new construction during the year	All other church sponsored mission expenditures	Total church sponsored mission expenditures	Cooperative Program	Associational missions program	State missions	SB Home Missions (incl. Annie Armstrong Easter offering)	SB Foreign Missions (incl. Lottie Moon Christmas offering)	SB Christian education (schools, etc.)	SB Children's homes (cash plus goods)	SB Hospitals	SB Homes for the aged	All other (Bible Society, Temperance League, etc.)	Total other mission cause expenditures	Grand Total Mission expenditures
Macedonia	Mrs. Carolyn Reynolds, Route 1, Box 187-A, Evergreen	0	0	0	200	330	100	0	1,000	0	100	150	0	10,000	11,680	11,880
Mount Zion	Mrs. Estelle W. Lennon, Route 2, Box 144, Whiteville	100	0	100	900	200	40	540	602	0	0	0	0	669	2,051	3,051
Nakina	Mrs. Ralph Sasser, Route 1, Box 95, Nakina	0	0	0	772	300	0	174	300	0	0	0	0	0	774	1,546
New Hope	Mrs. Linda Goldston, P. O. Box 218, Whiteville	0	0	0	4,218	1,329	280	565	1,329	0	0	0	0	0	3,509	7,727
Oak Dale	Mrs. Carol Brock, Route 1, Box 198, Whiteville	0	0	0	1,041	225	353	403	349	0	0	0	0	0	1,330	2,371
Peace	Mrs. Sue Ransom, Route 3, Box D-47, Whiteville	21,322	12,866	34,188	1,082	811	180	200	440	0	0	0	0	0	1,631	36,901
Piney Forest	Dr. Robert Yates, P. O. Box 468, Chadbourn	0	0	0	2,575	725	258	1,594	1,545	0	0	0	0	2,293	6,415	8,990
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Virginia Buffkin, Route 5, Box 71, Whiteville	0	0	0	2,483	828	340	900	2,085	0	0	0	0	50	4,203	6,686
Pleasant Plains	Mrs. Mamie Williams, Route 1, Box 117, Clarendon	0	0	0	1,765	300	500	600	1,000	0	0	0	0	0	2,400	4,165
Porter Swamp	Ms. Melinda Edwards, Route 1, Box 30, Fair Bluff	100	500	600	5,352	2,398	76	569	315	0	0	0	0	135	3,493	9,445
Riegelwood	Mrs. Sandra Hammond, P. O. Box 128, Riegelwood	5,603	0	5,603	10,365	3,550	939	2,362	3,234	0	0	0	0	0	10,085	26,053
Smyrna	Mrs. Melba Gurkin, Route 5, Box 441, Whiteville	0	0	0	6,619	2,250	114	476	703	0	0	0	0	0	3,543	10,162
Sweet Home	Mrs. Nancy Marlowe, Route 1, Box 230, Clarendon	490	110	600	1,788	851	560	842	988	0	0	0	0	1,027	4,268	6,056
Tabor City	Jerry Bullard, P. O. Box 781, Tabor City	0	0	0	24,000	3,450	2,250	3,685	9,795	0	0	0	0	6,613	25,793	49,793
Trinity	Clyde Griffin, 106 S. Franklin St., Whiteville	0	0	0	8,067	4,307	1,000	21	1,859	0	0	0	0	0	7,187	15,254
Union Chapel	Mrs. Letha Squires, Route 1, Box 45, Bolton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Union Valley	Mrs. Jessie Lee Russ, Route 1, Box 376, Whiteville	0	0	0	400	370	0	1,450	2,600	0	0	0	0	340	4,760	5,160
Western Prong	Mrs. Jo Wooten, Route 2, Box 112, Clarkton	0	0	0	8,750	1,967	1,588	1,745	2,873	0	0	0	0	1,457	9,630	18,380
Westside	Mrs. Annie Inman, Route 1, Box 44, Tabor City	0	0	0	1,200	600	0	364	351	0	0	0	0	517	1,832	3,032
White Marsh	Billy Rushing, Route 2, Box 83-A, Whiteville	0	0	0	2,033	475	272	705	1,383	0	200	0	0	0	3,035	5,068
Whiteville First	Mrs. Beverly Hewett, Route 5, Box 23-H, Whiteville	0	0	0	54,063	5,406	2,049	3,931	5,480	0	0	0	0	8,215	25,081	79,144
Whiteville West	Mrs. Ann Powell, P. O. Box 58, Hallsboro	0	0	0	1,324	331	0	135	200	0	0	0	0	0	666	[illegible]
Williamson's Crossroads	Mrs. Frances Hammond, Route 1, Box 388, Cerro Gordo	0	0	0	2,200	650	1,320	120	138	0	0	0	0	1,150	3,378	5,578
Whiteville South	Harold Ward, Route 5, Box 101-B, Whiteville	12,000	0	12,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12,000
Open Door	Ms. Bonnie Faulk, Route 1, Box 184, Nakina	0	0	0	0	528	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	528	528
	TOTALS	44,940	54,764	49,704	209,304	53,808	24,229	40,624	65,087	0	300	202	0	45,884	230,134	539,142
	PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS	25,135	41,386	66,522	220,841	54,792	23,880	38,730	56,418	0	381	164	0	44,908	236,026	454,627

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TABLE I SPECIAL INFORMATION

YEAR ENDING September 30 (Month & Day) 1985

Association COLUMBUS

State NORTH CAROLINA

Moderator Terry Bryant

Address P. O. Box 131 City Riegelwood State N. C. Zip 28456

CHURCHES	CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	28 No. church-type missions started during the year	29 No. church-type missions currently operating	30 No. other type missions started during the year	31 No. other type missions currently operating	32 No. New Sunday School Members	33 Day Care enrollment	34 ($) Annie Armstrong Offering	35 Number of families committed to strengthen Families emphasis	36 N = none TV = TV R = radio B = both	37 No. in Sunday School but not church member	38 College student baptisms	39 N = NAS K = KJ I = NIV C = Other	40 Number enrolled in special ministries	41 Number of black members	42 Church Council	43 BTN	44 Start - A - Church	45 Volunteer Chaplaincy	46 Automated data processing	47 Christian Life Committee	48 Begin visitation program	49 Family enrichment project	50 Students in Baptist Schools	51 Annuity Board Sunday	52 B.M.T. prayer activities	53 State paper in budget
																Does church have, observe, plan, use, etc.? Y = Yes N = No											
Antioch	Willard White, Route 3, Box 354, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	3	0	473	0	N	15	0	KJ	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y
Boardman	Rufus Shockley, Route 1, Evergreen	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	0	0	-	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bolton	Parks Godwin, P. O. Box 228, Bolton	0	0	0	0	0	0	307	0	N	0	0		0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brunswick	Belton Blackmon, P. O. Box 38, Brunswick	0	0	0	0	5	0	200	0	N	10	0	KJ	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N
Calvary	Eddie Pope, Route 5, Box 106-A, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	53	0	611	0	N	20	0	KJ	0	0	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N
Cedar Grove	Kenneth Greene, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	50	0	N	10	0	KJ	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Cerro Gordo	C. E. Williamson, P. O. Box 207, Cerro Gordo	0	0	0	0	14	0	491	6	N	13	0	KJ	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y
Chadbourn	Henry Edmund, 308 E. First Avenue, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	26	0	1,264	0	N	18	0	0	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Cheerful Hope	Mac Saunders, Route 1, Box 66-B, Delco	0	0	0	0	8	0	663	0	N	8	0	KJ	1	0	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y
Cherry Grove	Farley Strickland, Route 2, Box 55-B, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,156	0	N	0	0	KJ	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
China Grove	James Nobles, Route 2, Box 341, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0	0	123	0	N	35	0	KJ	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Clarendon	Bobby Stanley, Route 1, Box 2, Clarendon	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,086	0	N	5	-	KJ	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Corinth	Bailey Wayne Britt, Route 3, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	6	0	100	0	N	-	0	KJ	0	0	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N
Delco	N. A. Lane, Route 2, Box 108, Riegelwood	0	0	0	0	43	0	872	0	N	27	0	KJ	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y
Evergreen	Alfred Bowen, Highway 74, Evergreen	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	0	0	KJ	0	0	Y	-	Y	-	N	Y	Y	-	N	-	Y	-
Fair Bluff	Winfred Richardson, P. O. Box 185, Fair Bluff	0	0	0	0	8	0	1,595	0	R	2	0	NAS	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N
Faith	L. H. Shuman, Route 5, Box 65, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	115	0	N	7	0	NAS	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
Forest Lawn	Cecil Stanley, Route 2, Box 159, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	10	0	KJ	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N
Gapway	J. D. Lovette, Route 1, Box 357, Green Sea 29545	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	N	7	0	KJ	0	0	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Hallsboro	Van Pierce, Route 1, Box 301, Hallsboro	0	0	0	0	12	0	551	0	N	16	0	NAS	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y
Hinson's Crossroads	Graham Ellis, Route 1, Box 43, Fair Bluff	0	0	0	0	14	0	605	0	N	12	0	KJ	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Iron Hill	Delbert Larrimore, Route 1, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	N	0	0	KJ	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N
Lake Waccamaw		0	0	0	0	0	0	708	0	N	0	-	NAS	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
Lennon's Crossroads	Donald Kelly, P. O. Box 205, Bladenboro	0	0	0	0	5	0	3,669	0	N	2	0	KJ	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N
	TOTALS																										

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CHURCHES	CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	No. church-type missions started during the year	No. church-type missions currently operating	No. other type missions started during the year	No. other type missions currently operating	No. New Sunday School Members	Day Care enrollment	$ Annie Armstrong Offering	Number of families committed to strengthen Families emphasis	N = none TV = TV R = radio B = both	No. in Sunday School but not church member	College student baptisms	N = NAS K = KJ I = NIV O = Other	Number enrolled in special ministries	Number of black members	Church Council	BTN	Start A Church	Volunteer Chaplaincy	Automated data processing	Christian Life Committee	Begin visitation program	Family enrichment project	Students in Baptist Schools	Annuity Board Sunday	B M T prayer activities	State paper in budget
Macedonia	J. B. Williamson, Route 1, Box 126, Evergreen	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	N	9	0	KJ	0	0	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N
Mount Zion	William Blanton, Route 2, Box 143, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	1	0	540	0	N	2	0	KJ	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y
Nakina	Kenneth Hawes, Route 1, Box 95, Nakina	0	0	0	0	0	0	175	0	N	0	0	KJ	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
New Hope	J. G. White, 118 East Wyche Street, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	3	0	565	0	N	0	0	KJ	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y
Oak Dale	Charles Horne, Route 1, Box 250, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	13	0	403	0	N	10	0	KJ	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y
Peace	Murle Tison, Route 6, Box 52, Whiteville	0	4	0	0	0	0	200	0	N	7	0	KJ	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N
Piney Forest	Ward Shaw, Route 2, Box 189, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,594	0	N	1	0		0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	U	N	N	Y
Pleasant Hill	Earl McKeithan, 221 South Brown Street, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0	0	900	0	N	9	0	KJ	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Pleasant Plains	Russell Long, Route 1, Box 25-A, Nakina	0	0	0	0	8	0	600	0	N	2	0	KJ	0	0	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N
Porter Swamp		0	0	0	0	16	0	200	0	N	20	0	KJ	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N
Riegelwood	James Duncan, P. O. Box 53, Riegelwood	0	0	0	0	19	0	2,362	0	N	5	0	KJ	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N
Smyrna	Vernon Collins, Route 2, Box 123, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	7	0	476	0	N	18	0	KJ	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y
Sweet Home	Bruce Simmons, Route 1, Box 182, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	0	0	765	0	N	12	0	KJ	0	0	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N
Tabor City	Joe Coleman, P. O. Box 176, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	11	40	3,685	-	R	?	0	RSV	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y
Trinity	Robert Crumpler, Route 7, Box C-49, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	96	0	0	R						N	N							Y			Y
Union Chapel	A. O. Squires, Route 1, Box 45, Bolton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	7	0	KJ	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Union Valley	Edwin Skipper, Route 5, Box 444, Whiteville	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	5	0	KJ	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N
Western Prong	Tony Weavil, Route 2, Box 51, Clarkton	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,745	0	N	10	0	KJ	0	0	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y
Westside	Don Watts, Route 1, Box 355, Tabor City	0	0	0	0	9	0	364	0	N	8	0	KJ	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N
White Marsh	Carlton Baldwin, Route 2, Box 117, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	16	0	705	0	N	0	0	KJ	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N
Whiteville First	Harold Wells, Runnymeade Circle, Whiteville	-	-	-	-	30	-	3,931	0	R	-	1	NAS	13	0	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N
Whiteville West	Ray Calloway, Route 6, Box 134, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	7	0	135	0	N	3	0	KJ	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Williamson's Crossroads	Jerry Hardin, Route 3, Box 184, Chadbourn	0	0	0	0	3	0	120	0	N	8	0	KJ	0	0	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y
Whiteville South	Garnet Holcomb, Route 5, Box 102, Whiteville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	0	0	KJ	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Open Door	Gilbert Faulk, Route 1, Box 184, Nakina	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	N	0	0	KJ	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
	TOTALS	1	4	0	0	367	136	35,105	6		353	2		13													
	PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS	4	8	1	1	314	210	34,668	30		532	555															

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NAME OF CHURCH	County	13 Total baptisms	14 Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)	18 Grand total present members	21 Number of tithers	26 Church Debt	66 Ongoing Sunday School enrolment	71 Church Vacation Bible School enrolment	85 Church Training enrolment	97 Ongoing Music Ministry enrolment	113 Ongoing W.M.U. enrolment	123 Ongoing Brotherhood enrolment	128 Total receipts	139 Cooperative Program	150 Grand total mission expenditures
Antioch	Col.	3	0	223	15	13,609	141	60	31	22	10	0	35,860	0	2,047
Boardman	Col.	7	3	166	0	0	132	65	80	0	36	41	29,881	0	3,109
Bolton	Col.	4	3	114	5	0	108	59	0	0	12	0	39,805	800	2,614
Brunswick	Col.	1	5	92	10	20,000	77	0	28	21	18	0	19,382	790	2,554
Calvary	Col.	3	25	132	25	0	126	86	30	53	41	19	39,759	1,200	2,948
Cedar Grove	Col.	0	0	332	6	4,500	121	103	22	16	35	29	27,961	1,460	2,904
Cerro Gordo	Col.	3	3	319	41	0	174	74	62	46	54	19	72,493	6,270	9,516
Chadbourn	Col.	3	11	489	40	13,000	248	169	26	80	143	0	124,754	8,550	18,276
Cheerful Hope	Col.	4	2	95	22	0	91	50	0	31	35	16	29,596	2,697	9,760
Cherry Grove	Col.	1	3	467	36	4,000	210	0	60	30	54	116	72,318	8,090	14,646
China Grove	Col.	0	0	194	-	0	113	75	0	42	0	0	20,053	500	1,649
Clarendon	Col.	1	1	221	29	0	119	47	63	55	43	25	46,016	1,200	9,744
Corinth	Col.	0	1	108	3	0	80	0	0	16	10	0	18,789	100	597
Delco	Col.	6	7	202	12	23,833	180	88	26	69	35	15	57,424	4,904	12,264
Evergreen	Col.	5	0	252	-	4,000	189	67	0	36	10	0	61,242	3,102	48,266
Fair Bluff	Col.	11	6	490	10	0	222	88	0	47	60	52	108,043	6,090	14,440
Faith	Col.	0	0	77	12	7,409	56	36	25	20	7	9	21,119	70	625
Forest Lawn	Col.	2	1	195	15	0	122	70	0	36	12	0	32,252	375	900
Gapway	Col.	8	0	210	3	0	133	60	0	14	0	15	12,862	0	50
Hallsboro	Col.	2	1	440	15	0	127	74	19	13	22	0	31,922	2,450	6,812
Hinson's Crossroads	Col.	18	3	275	25	0	184	75	79	64	22	66	49,132	1,800	4,671
Iron Hill	Col.	0	1	175	15	0	97	45	0	17	0	0	29,687	0	1,055
Lake Waccamaw	Col.	17	9	400	0	0	209	55	0	28	35	32	71,636	4,676	10,698
Lennon's Crossroads	Col.	2	5	246	75	0	148	73	65	82	67	40	83,080	12,983	27,437
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Macedonia	Col.	13	1	364	40	0	196	80	0	23	11	21	50,383	200	11,880
Mount Zion	Col.	1	1	177	25	0	111	36	0	22	34	0	25,680	900	3,051
Nakina	Col.	11	0	86	3	47,053	94	75	45	42	20	12	34,877	772	1,546
New Hope	Col.	2	1	456	75	93,470	235	86	64	54	76	24	80,684	4,218	7,727
Oak Dale	Col.	0	4	219	12	0	84	42	0	31	17	15	25,427	1,041	2,371
Peace	Col.	6	8	120	17	6,500	120	89	0	50	31	68	29,720	1,082	36,901
Piney Forest	Col.	3	1	117	14	0	70	0	25	12	31	0	46,486	2,575	8,990
Pleasant Hill	Col.	[illegible]	2	135	15	0	99	79	65	16	27	0	29,185	2,483	6,686
Pleasant Plains	Col.	1	3	183	8	1,000	108	52	44	13	34	0	40,862	1,765	4,165
Porter Swamp	Col.	23	7	288	21	0	160	60	81	37	38	19	40,533	5,352	9,445
Ridgewood	Col.	5	11	391	30	0	259	125	0	54	95	19	92,793	10,365	26,053
Smyrna	Col.	0	5	252	30	0	157	39	50	23	47	0	59,074	6,619	10,162
Sweet Home	Col.	7	9	295	10	0	181	100	101	57	2	1	46,272	1,788	6,656
Tabor City	Col.	10	18	874	?	0	448	240	322	261	156	119	270,196	24,000	49,793
Trinity	Col.	20	19	886	190	0			46	51	91	133	272,940	8,067	15,254
Union Chapel	Col.	0	2	109	14	0	36	12	0	12	0	0	5,198	0	0
Union Valley	Col.	4	1	227	25	0	90	48	78	24	29	31	42,000	400	5,160
Western Prong	Col.	10	9	448	75	32,000	272	24	67	37	56	31	95,969	8,750	18,380
Westside	Col.	16	0	164	23	70,000	95	52	120	21	47	35	55,460	1,200	3,032
White Marsh	Col.	10	4	276	12	0	151	64	0	76	76	0	38,502	2,033	5,068
Whiteville First	Col.	7	30	880	-	44,000	511	89	28	74	154	218	310,667	54,063	79,144
Whiteville West	Col.	0	0	176	12	3,250	54	50	0	22	8	0	19,800	1,324	1,990
Williamson's Crossroads	Col.	2	1	210	6	0	171	62	0	44	0	0	34,466	2,200	5,578
Whiteville South	Col.	0	0	44	9	0	32	20	18	13	7	7	12,000	0	12,000
Open Door	Col.	0	6	24	6	0	44	0	0	2	0	0	11,380	0	528
TOTALS		253	233	13,413	1,086	387,624	7,185	3,043	1,770	1,909	1,878	1,247	2,905,620	209,304	539,142
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS		212	269	13,328	986	510,677	7,484	3,059	1,697	1,930	1,806	1,273	2,808,817	220,661	445,626

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